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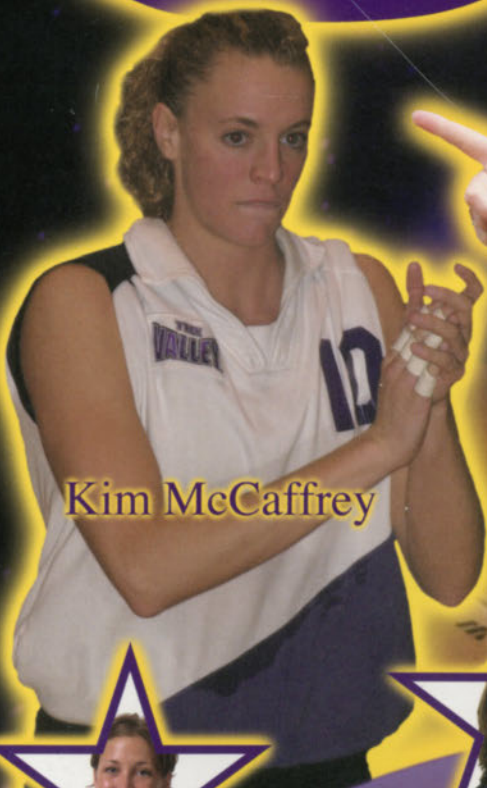
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Catch A Rising Star



Molly O'Brien



Kim McCaffrey



Bobbi Petersen
Head Coach



Michelle Burvee



Miranda Weber



Kim Kester



Jill Arganbright



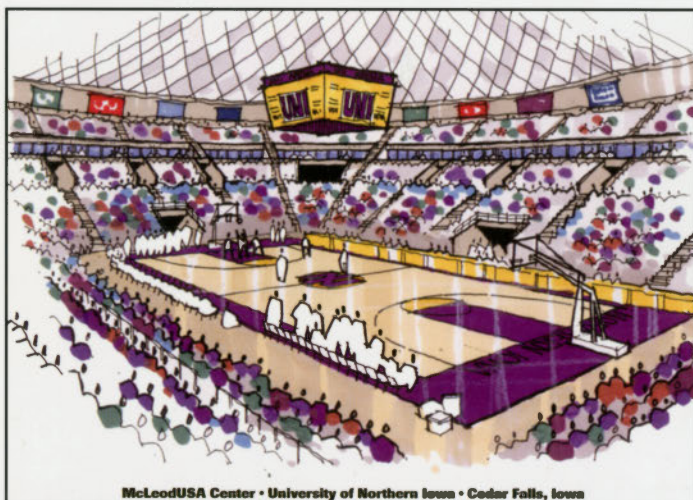
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The Future Home of UNI Volleyball

\$4 Million Gift To Help Build New Sports Arena: McLeodUSA Center

The University of Northern Iowa announced receipt of the largest gift in the institution's 124-year history on July 25, 2000. Clark and Mary McLeod, on behalf of McLeodUSA, will donate \$4 million to help build a new sports arena on the UNI campus.

According to UNI President Robert D. Koob, this is the lead gift to support construction of the \$15 million McLeodUSA Center, which will become the primary performance venue for UNI intercollegiate men's and women's basketball, volleyball and wrestling. After just 12 months of fundraising, the facility has already secured over 50 percent of the necessary financial backing.



McLeodUSA Center • University of Northern Iowa • Cedar Falls, Iowa

"This arena will be the first visible element of a collaboration between UNI and McLeodUSA to promote student excellence," said Koob. "Other elements of this collaboration may include internships, technology enhancements, scholarships and other opportunities."

"UNI is committed to its students and to serving the state of Iowa," said Clark McLeod, chairman and chief executive officer, McLeodUSA. "We have a similar commitment. Our future growth will depend on our ability to attract and retain people who are willing to grow, who value relationships, and who have the passion and commitment to be the best they can be. Iowa needs to keep these people here in the state. We see this gift as an investment. It's an investment in the University of Northern Iowa and it's an investment in future opportunities for all Iowans."

According to UNI Athletic Director Rick Hartzell, the arena will contain approximately 5,000 to 6,000 seats and will be located on the campus's west side, near the UNI-Dome and Wellness/Recreation Center. Once funds are secured, construction is expected to take approximately 24 to 36 months.

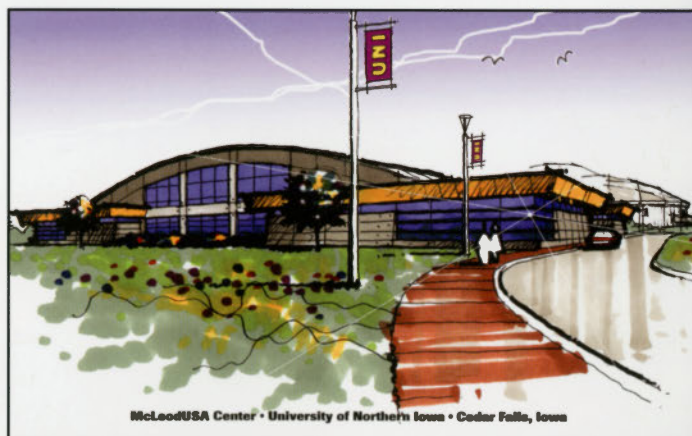
"UNI has some of the best student athletes, coaches and teams of any institution in the Midwest," said Hartzell. "What we don't have is a facility to match our people in these programs. The McLeodUSA Center will be one of the best of its size in the nation; an outstanding facility in which to showcase our quality student athletes and athletic programs."

The McLeod gift also is the lead gift to the UNI Foundation's \$75 million "Students First" campaign – the next phase of a recent, highly successful scholarship campaign that exceeded its goal, raising \$14 million. The new, broader "Students First" campaign will focus on scholarships, academic programs and facilities.

"This facility will serve the communities of the Cedar Valley," said Bill Calhoun, UNI vice president for Advancement and president of the UNI Foundation. "Similar to the Gallagher-Bluedorn Performing Arts Center, the McLeodUSA Center will be another result of a successful private/public partnership between UNI and the Cedar Valley."

New construction covered by the Students First campaign will include the McLeodUSA Center; R.J. McElroy Hall, the university's new early childhood education facility on the Allen College campus, in Waterloo; and a human performance center. Facilities needing renovation or equipment are Russell Hall, Lang Hall and McCollum Science Hall.

According to Calhoun, the official campaign kickoff will take place in 2002. The university's last major campaign ended in 1995, raising more than \$33 million, and exceeding its goal of \$25 million.



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General Information

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Northern Iowa Quick Facts

Location:	Cedar Falls, Iowa	50614
Founded:		1876
Enrollment:		13,774
Nickname:	Panthers	
Colors:	Purple & Old Gold	
Conference:	Missouri Valley	
President:	Dr. Robert Koob	
Athletic Director:	Rick Hartzell	
Associate Athletic Director/Compliance:	Dr. Sandra Williamson	
Associate Athletic Director/Business:	Julie Bright	
Associate Athletic Director/Sport Mgt:	Kevin Buisman	
NCAA Faculty Representative:	Dr. Jack Wilkinson	
UNI Athletic Ticket Office	(319) 273-DOME	

Volleyball Information

Head Coach:	Bobbi Petersen
Alma Mater (Year):	Northern Iowa ('90 and '92)
Career & UNI Record:	18-9 (1 year*)

*Note: Petersen was promoted from assistant coach to interim head coach at UNI in 1997 while Idrage Ahrabi-Fard was working with USA Volleyball. Petersen has been an assistant coach at UNI the last three seasons after Ahrabi-Fard returned.

Assistant Coaches:	Barb Randall, Mary Bernhardt
Volleyball Office Phone:	319-273-7170
Best Time to Reach Petersen:	Mornings
Home Facility (Capacity):	West Gym (2,051)
2000 Overall Record:	29-5
2000 Missouri Valley Conference Record/Finish:	18-0/1st
Letterwinners Returning/Lost:	6/4
Starters Returning/Lost:	3/3
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The UNI volleyball team looks for another MVC title in 2001

2001 Schedule

Date	Opponent	Location	Time
Aug. 31	vs. McNeese State!	Albuquerque, NM	6 p.m.
Sept. 1	vs. UTEP!	Albuquerque, NM	11 a.m.
Sept. 1	at New Mexico!	Albuquerque, NM	8 p.m.
Sept. 7	vs. Saint Louis#	Madison, WI	4:30 p.m.
Sept. 8	vs. Ball State#	Madison, WI	10 a.m.
Sept. 8	at Wisconsin#	Madison, WI	7 p.m.
Sept. 12	vs. Minnesota&	Rochester, MN	7 p.m.
Sept. 14	Southern Illinois*	Cedar Falls, IA	7 p.m.
Sept. 15	Evansville*	Cedar Falls, IA	5 p.m.
Sept. 18	Wisconsin-Milwaukee	Cedar Falls, IA	7 p.m.
Sept. 21	Bradley*	Cedar Falls, IA	7 p.m.
Sept. 24	Iowa	Cedar Falls, IA	7:30 p.m.
Sept. 28	at Wichita State*	Wichita, KS	7 p.m.
Sept. 29	at SW Missouri State*	Springfield, MO	7 p.m.
Oct. 5	Illinois State*	Cedar Falls, IA	7 p.m.
Oct. 6	Indiana State*	Cedar Falls, IA	7 p.m.
Oct. 12	at Drake*	Des Moines, IA	7 p.m.
Oct. 13	at Creighton*	Omaha, NE	7 p.m.
Oct. 16	vs. Notre Dame\$	Bettendorf, IA	7 p.m.
Oct. 19	at Bradley*	Peoria, IL	7 p.m.
Oct. 26	SW Missouri State*	Cedar Falls, IA	7 p.m.
Oct. 27	Wichita State*	Cedar Falls, IA	7 p.m.
Nov. 2	at Indiana State*	Terre Haute, IN	6 p.m.
Nov. 3	at Illinois State*	Normal, IL	6 p.m.
Nov. 9	Creighton*	Cedar Falls, IA	7 p.m.
Nov. 10	Drake*	Cedar Falls, IA	7 p.m.
Nov. 13	Iowa State	Cedar Falls, IA	7 p.m.
Nov. 16	at Evansville*	Evansville, IN	7 p.m.
Nov. 17	at Southern Illinois*	Carbondale, IL	7 p.m.
Nov. 23-24	MVC Tournament	Normal, IL	TBA
Nov. 29-30	NCAA Tournament Round 1	TBA	TBA
Dec. 1-2	NCAA Tournament Round 2	TBA	TBA
Dec. 6-9	NCAA Regionals	TBA	TBA
Dec. 13	NCAA Semifinals	San Diego, CA	TBA
Dec. 15	NCAA Finals	San Diego, CA	TBA

* Missouri Valley Conference match

! New Mexico Labor Day Tourney--Albuquerque, NM

Badger Invitational--Madison, WI

& Match played at Rochester Century High School--Rochester, MN

\$ Match played at Bettendorf High School--Bettendorf, IA

All Times Central

All home matches played in West Gym on the UNI campus

2001 Roster

NORTHERN IOWA 2001 VOLLEYBALL NUMERICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	Ht.	Yr.	Pos.	Hometown(HS)/Previous Colleges
1	Miranda Weber**	5-5	Jr.	DS	Parkersburg, Iowa (Dike-New Hartford)
2	Rachel Tink	6-0	Fr.	OH	Waterloo, Iowa (Walnut Ridge Baptist Academy)
3	Katie Epley	5-9	Fr.	OH	Waverly, Iowa (Waverly-Shell Rock)
4	Jessi Worrell	5-10	Fr.	OH	West Branch, Iowa (West Branch)
5	Stephanie Germann	6-3	Fr.	MB	LeMars, Iowa (Gehlen Catholic)
6	Erin Hirsch	5-9	Fr.	S	Waterloo, Iowa (East)
8	Kim Kester**	5-10	Jr.	OH	Urbana, Iowa (Center Point-Urbana)
9	Jill Arganbright*	5-10	So.	S	Iowa City, Iowa (West)
10	Kim McCaffrey***	6-0	Sr.	OH	Carroll, Iowa (Carroll)
11	Molly O'Brien*	6-0	So.	MB	Parnell, Iowa (Williamsburg)
12	Shari Vermeer	6-0	Fr.	MB	Sioux Center, Iowa (Sioux Center)
15	Abby Lemek	5-11	Fr.	OH	Sioux City, Iowa (Heelan)
16	Michelle Burvee*	6-2	So.	MB	Waterloo, Iowa (Columbus)

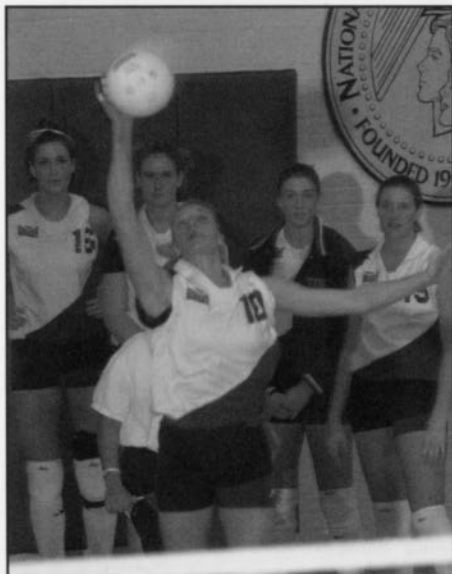
NORTHERN IOWA 2001 VOLLEYBALL ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	Ht.	Yr.	Pos.	Hometown(HS)/Previous Colleges
9	Jill Arganbright*	5-10	So.	S	Iowa City, Iowa (West)
16	Michelle Burvee*	6-2	So.	MB	Waterloo, Iowa (Columbus)
3	Katie Epley	5-9	Fr.	OH	Waverly, Iowa (Waverly-Shell Rock)
5	Stephanie Germann	6-3	Fr.	MB	LeMars, Iowa (Gehlen Catholic)
6	Erin Hirsch	5-9	Fr.	S	Waterloo, Iowa (East)
8	Kim Kester**	5-10	Jr.	OH	Urbana, Iowa (Center Point-Urbana)
15	Abby Lemek	5-11	Fr.	OH	Sioux City, Iowa (Heelan)
10	Kim McCaffrey***	6-0	Sr.	OH	Carroll, Iowa (Carroll)
11	Molly O'Brien*	6-0	So.	MB	Parnell, Iowa (Williamsburg)
2	Rachel Tink	6-0	Fr.	OH	Waterloo, Iowa (Walnut Ridge Baptist Academy)
12	Shari Vermeer	6-0	Fr.	MB	Sioux Center, Iowa (Sioux Center)
1	Miranda Weber**	5-5	Jr.	DS	Parkersburg, Iowa (Dike-New Hartford)
4	Jessi Worrell	5-10	Fr.	OH	West Branch, Iowa (West Branch)

* indicates letters earned

Head Coach: Bobbi Petersen

Assistant Coaches: Barb Randall and Mary Bernhardt



Kim McCaffrey



Jill Arganbright (9) and Michelle Burvee (16)

Panthers By Class

Seniors (1)

Kim McCaffrey

Juniors (2)

Kim Kester

Miranda Weber

Sophomores (3)

Jill Arganbright

Michelle Burvee

Molly O'Brien

Freshmen (7)

Katie Epley

Stephanie Germann

Erin Hirsch

Abby Lemek

Rachel Tink

Shari Vermeer

Jessi Worrell

Panthers By Height

6-3 (1)

Stephanie Germann

6-2 (1)

Michelle Burvee

6-0 (4)

Kim McCaffrey

Molly O'Brien

Rachel Tink

Shari Vermeer

5-11 (1)

Abby Lemek

5-10 (3)

Jill Arganbright

Kim Kester

Jessi Worrell

5-9 (2)

Katie Epley

Erin Hirsch

5-5 (1)

Miranda Weber

Panthers By State

Iowa 13

Pronunciation Guide

Jill Arganbright AR-gun-bright

Michelle Burvee BUR-vee

Abby Lemek LEM-ek

Shari Vermeer SHERRY Ver-MEER

Jessi Worrell War-RELL

Active Career Leaders

Kills

862 Kim McCaffrey

439 Kim Kester

252 Molly O'Brien

Digs

636 Kim McCaffrey

513 Miranda Weber

291 Kim Kester

Assists

1347 Jill Arganbright

98 Kim Kester

58 Kim McCaffrey

Block Solos

19 Molly O'Brien

15 Kim McCaffrey

14 Michelle Burvee

Block Assists

147 Molly O'Brien

142 Kim McCaffrey

115 Kim Kester

Service Aces

50 Kim McCaffrey

50 Miranda Weber

40 Kim Kester

Hitting Percentage

.279 Molly O'Brien

.272 Kim Kester

.254 Michelle Burvee

Kills Per Game

3.01 Kim McCaffrey

2.68 Kim Kester

2.27 Molly O'Brien

Digs Per Game

2.38 Miranda Weber

2.28 Jill Arganbright

2.22 Kim McCaffrey

Blocks Per Game

1.50 Molly O'Brien

1.01 Michelle Burvee

0.75 Kim Kester



A Tradition of Excellence

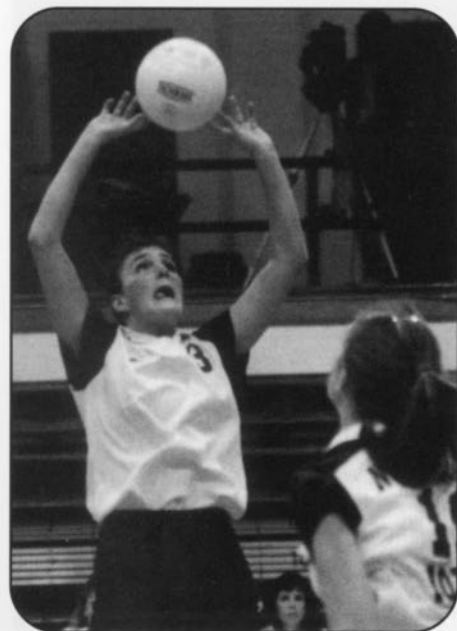
Team Success

In 19 years of Gateway and Missouri Valley Conference competition, Northern Iowa has posted 20 or more victories 16 times, captured 10 conference titles, appeared in eight NCAA Tournaments and three N.I.V.C. Tournaments. Two years ago, UNI advanced to the Sweet 16 of the NCAA Tournament for the first time in school history and finished 15th in the final national rankings. Last year UNI advanced to the second round of the NCAA's and was ranked 24th to end the year. The Panthers have compiled a 406-88 overall mark in the last 16 years, 201-24 in conference play, and have reached the national top 25 in 1995, 1998, 1999 and 2000. UNI's active streak of 57 consecutive conference wins is seventh-best in NCAA history.



Individual Honors

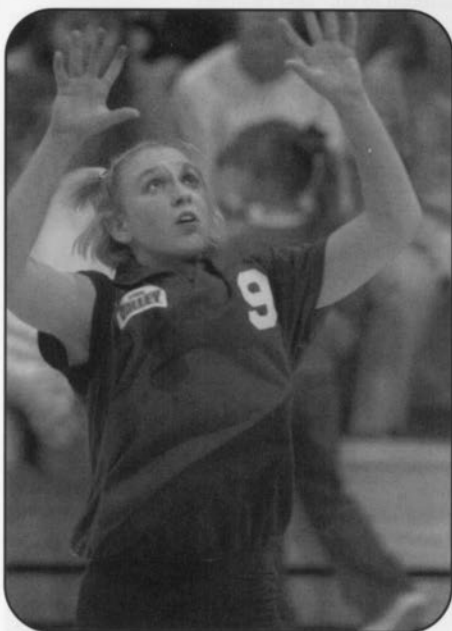
Conference, region and national honors have become commonplace for UNI players. In the past 16 years, the Panthers have had 61 all-conference selections, including six league Players of the Year and 34 first team selections. Nine Panthers have been voted to the all-district or all-region team. Setter Shannon Perry became UNI's first-ever all-American in 1999 when she was voted to the AVCA's second team, while former head coach Idrage Ahrabi-Fard was named National Coach of the Year by his peers in 1999.



Excellence in the Classroom

Three UNI players have been named Academic All-Americans a total of six times. Mary Bernhardt was a three-time First Team

Academic All-American from 1985-87, while Kate Galer was a first team pick in 1996 after earning third team honors the previous season. Kris Schroeder was honored on the second team in 1989. Since the Missouri Valley Conference instituted its academic all-conference squad in 1992, Northern Iowa has had 24 selections to the first team, including six in the last two years.



Great Fans

The Panthers consistently have ranked among the national leaders in attendance in recent years. The 2000 home attendance average of 1,315 ranked 17th in the nation. The friendly confines of the West Gym helped the Panthers to a phenomenal 120-5 record since 1990, including seven undefeated home seasons and a 50-match home winning streak from 1992-96 that ranks tied for sixth in NCAA history. UNI's current streak of 34 consecutive home wins is the nation's longest entering this season.



2001 Outlook

Strong Foundation Returns For Defending Champ Northern Iowa

With six veterans returning from last season's team that finished the year ranked 24th nationally, the 2001 version of the Northern Iowa volleyball team plans to continue its successful run under the direction of new head coach **Bobbi Petersen**.

After spending six years as an assistant to legendary coach **Dr. Irdage Ahrabi-Fard**, Petersen was promoted to the top spot following Ahrabi-Fard's retirement in April.

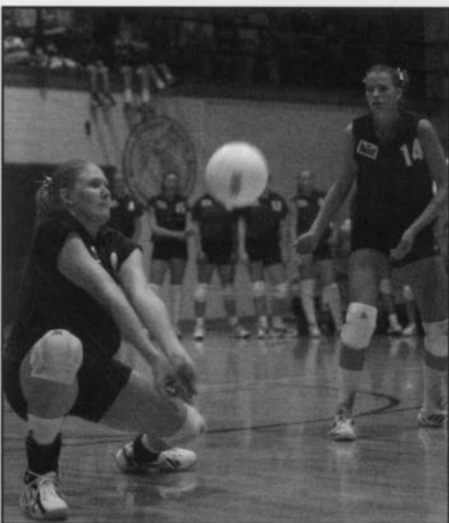
Petersen is no stranger to being UNI's head coach, as she was interim head coach for UNI in 1997 while Ahrabi-Fard served as a consultant to USA Volleyball. Petersen went 18-9 and led the Panthers to a second-place Missouri Valley Conference finish in her year at the helm.

Leading the way for the 2001 team will be UNI's only senior, outside hitter **Kim McCaffrey**. McCaffrey also is the lone remaining player from that 1997 team that Petersen led.

McCaffrey is a preseason all-Missouri Valley Conference pick after earning first-team all-league honors the past two seasons. McCaffrey paced the Panthers in both kills and digs to rank among the league's top all-around players.

Petersen is confident that her co-captain's leadership skills will be valuable in helping to mold a young team into league champions by the year's end.

"Kim has improved greatly and this year is definitely going to be her best," said Petersen. "She's one of the hardest working student-athletes we have and the last couple years she's been someone opponents really have to worry about. She's also going to step into a bigger leadership role and has done a great job with that this summer."



Molly O'Brien

Junior defensive specialist **Miranda Weber** returns to the back-row after playing in all 111 games last season. Weber ranked among the team leaders with 281 digs and provides UNI with solid defensive coverage over the entire court. Weber is also among the team's top passers and will share co-captain honors with McCaffrey.

"Miranda has a role that is vital to the success of our team," said Petersen. "Although she does not get a lot of the attention, her passing and defensive skills help win ballgames. We count on her to be a constant, and that's not easy."

Junior outside hitter **Kim Kester** looks to return to the form that won her 1999 MVC Newcomer of the Year plaudits after an injury-plagued sophomore campaign. Despite missing five matches and playing as a reserve in 21-of-29 matches a year ago, Kester repeated as a second-team all-MVC selection.

UNI's most-explosive player, Kester possesses tremendous leaping ability and could see time on either the left or right side in 2001. She spent the 1999 campaign on the right side after a season-ending injury to Jeni Schneckloth before seeing time at both spots last fall.

"Kim's going to be critical for this year's team, and she's ready for it. After her role last year, she's ready to step up and have a different role. She's our most explosive player and is a lot of fun to watch. She's got great enthusiasm and reminds me of Alex Auken with the way that people feed off of her," said Petersen.

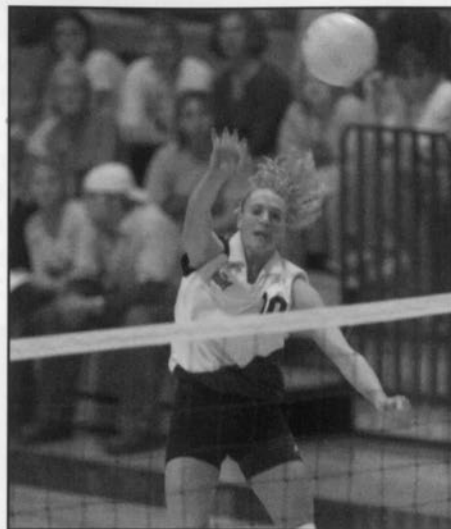
Setter **Jill Arganbright** returns to the line-up after a record-setting debut season running the Panther attack. Arganbright was a first-team all-MVC pick after establishing a UNI record with 1,347 assists last fall. In addition, her 12.14 assists per game also paced the league.

Named to the MVC's preseason team, Arganbright proved herself capable of filling the shoes of two-time MVC Player of the Year Shannon Perry and figures to set the table for years to come.

"Jill has improved tremendously with her confidence in the off-season," Petersen said. "She's comfortable leading the team and making decisions on the court. She continues to gain accuracy with her sets as well as adding tools to her game."

Last season, Arganbright was one of three Panther freshmen in the starting line-up, where she was joined by middle blockers **Molly O'Brien** and **Michelle Burvee**.

"Both Molly and Michelle played tremendous roles last year. They came in at a position that not a lot of incoming freshmen play and both did an excellent job for us. We're excited to have both of them back," said Petersen.



Kim McCaffrey

O'Brien was named MVC Newcomer of the Year last season after making an immediate impact in her initial campaign. She finished last season 17th nationally with 1.50 blocks per game to place second in the MVC.

"Molly is one of the best players in the conference. She's one of the strongest kids we have and picks up things quickly. The off-season has seen her improve tremendously. Not only is she an offensive threat but her blocking is a key for us. She's strong and quick at the net. What she did as a freshman is difficult to do," said Petersen.

Burvee started nine of UNI's final 11 matches and exceeded expectations in her first year in Cedar Falls. She averaged 1.01 blocks to team with classmate O'Brien and give UNI a solid nucleus in the years to come.

"Michelle improved a lot during the offseason," said Petersen. "She played a bigger role than expected last fall after a good offseason and we're looking forward to her continued growth. She's very enthusiastic and players feed off her energy."

In addition to the six returners with starting experience and veteran leadership, Northern Iowa adds seven newcomers to the mix in 2001, including five players who redshirted a season ago.

One of those redshirts is setter **Erin Hirsch**. Hirsch will compete with Arganbright for the battle at the setter position, giving Petersen the ability to be flexible with the lineup when needed. Hirsch is no stranger to the program, having watched her sister Maya play the past four seasons with the Panthers.

"Erin has made great strides and got a chance to run one of our teams in Europe. Both Erin and Jill are very capable setters and it gives us some exciting options," Petersen explained.

2001 Missouri Valley Conference Preseason All-Conference Team

(as voted by MVC coaches)

Name	Pos.	Ht.	Yr.	Hometown (High School)
Jill Arganbright, UNI	S	5-10	So.	Iowa City, Iowa (West)
Samantha Hardwick, BU	S/OH	5-9	Sr.	Normal, Illinois (West)
Kim McCaffrey, UNI	OH	6-0	Jr.	Carroll, Iowa (Carroll)
Rese McNatt, SMS	OH	6-1	Sr.	Fullerton, California (Rosary)
Molly O'Brien, UNI	MB	6-0	So.	Parnell, Iowa (Williamsburg)
Melissa Walsh, CU	MB	6-0	Jr.	Omaha, Nebraska (Skutt Catholic)
Becky Weber, ILST	S	5-10	Sr.	Union, Illinois (Huntley)

2001 MVC Preseason Coaches Poll

(Points awarded on a 10-9-8-7-6-5-4-3-2-1 basis)

Team (first place votes) Total

1. Northern Iowa (9)	90
2. Creighton	73
3. SW Missouri State	72
4. Illinois State	68
5. Bradley	50
6. Indiana State	46
7. Evansville	35
8. Wichita State	29
9. Southern Illinois	22
10. Drake	10



Redshirt freshmen **Katie Epley**, **Abby Lemek**, **Shari Vermeer** and **Jessi Worrell** will battle with true freshman **Rachel Tink** in a hotly-contested battle to replace all-MVC pick Jeni Schneckloth on the right side.

"Our redshirt freshmen are going to push for some playing time," said Petersen. "The right side is definitely a spot we're looking to fill. There could be some playing time on the left side or back row as well."

Epley will be looking to regain the form from her junior year in high school when she was a second-

team all-state prep. However, after missing her senior year with a knee injury and redshirting a year ago, it will be interesting to see how quickly Epley adjusts to the speed of the college game.

Lemek was named 1999 Iowa Prep Player of the Year and gives the Panthers some flexibility in both the front and back row.

"Abby Lemek has been doing some great things in the back row defensively as well as improving her passing and arm speed," said Petersen.

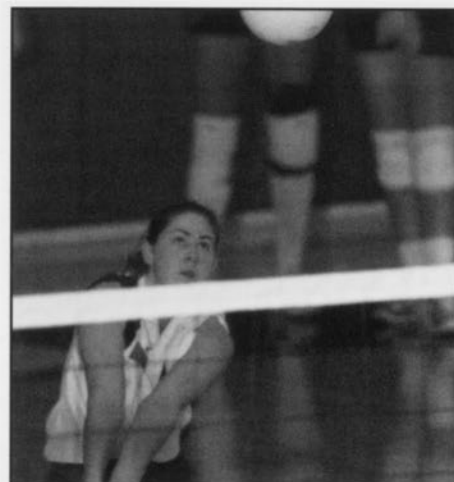
Vermeer is expected to fight for a spot at either middle blocker or outside hitter. She earned all-state honors in the middle as a prep, but Petersen feels her game could be better suited for the outside.

"We're looking for Shari to be one of the people who push for Jeni's spot. During the trip to Europe, she got some valuable experience on the right side," said Petersen.

Also in contention for the outside hitter slot is Worrell. A versatile athlete, she was an all-state prep in basketball, softball and volleyball.

True freshman Tink is a highly regarded incoming recruit who arrives with AAU All-American credentials and unlimited potential after leading the state of Iowa with 540 kills last season. Tink chose nearby UNI from over 80 other schools, including 1999 NCAA champ Penn State.

Stephanie Germann arrives at UNI after leading the state in blocks last season. UNI's tallest player at 6-3, she is expected to add depth to an already strong lineup of middle blockers.



Miranda Weber

Last season, UNI faced a difficult non-conference schedule that included top-20 teams Pepperdine, Wisconsin and Minnesota. This year should be no different, with NCAA qualifiers Wisconsin, Minnesota, Notre Dame, Ball State and Wisconsin-Milwaukee on the agenda.

"We've really improved our schedule this year. We're playing a lot of top teams and we're in two good tournaments. Starting off with our non-conference schedule, I'd really like to be competitive and win at least one of them. Doing that will make us more confident going into the conference," Petersen added.

In addition, UNI will host in-state foes Iowa, Iowa State and Drake for the first time in the same year since 1992.

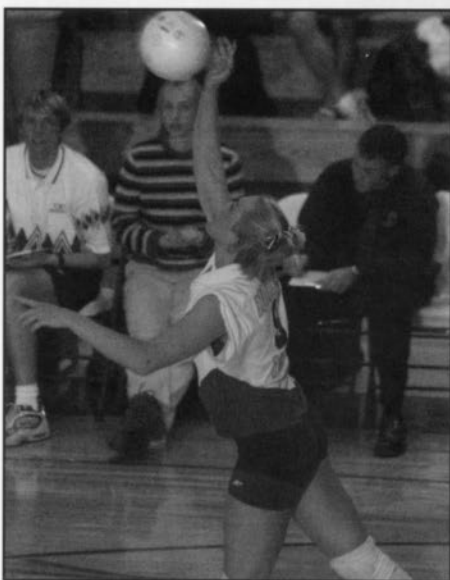
Expectations for the 2001 team are as high as they've ever been, as evidenced by UNI's unanimous selection as MVC favorite in a preseason poll of coaches.

"We've been picked to be first and that's a goal of ours. It's going to be a challenge. Adjusting to the rule changes will take some work. Winning the conference tournament and getting the automatic bid to the NCAA Tournament is a goal we have," said Petersen.

Though they are a young squad with just one senior and two juniors, that doesn't keep these Panthers from dreaming of a Sweet 16 berth--or beyond.

"Once we get to the NCAA's, getting to or going beyond the levels we have in the past is another goal of ours."

Only time will tell if the Panther dynasty continues to reach new heights. The work ethic, talent and mix of veterans and newcomers is sure to give fans of the program plenty of chances to catch a rising star in the years to come.



Jill Arganbright

Head Coach Bobbi Petersen



Head Coach Bobbi Petersen

dream of being the University of Northern Iowa head coach. I am very thankful to the many people who have supported me in reaching these goals."

Petersen also spent six seasons as an assistant at UNI. In her role as assistant coach, Petersen has been responsible for all aspects of the Panthers' program, including recruiting, camps, scheduling, fund-raising and scouting.

As a player at UNI from 1986-89, the former Bobbi Becker was a three-time first team all-conference selection and two-time first team all-region pick. Although it has been a dozen years since she last donned a Panther uniform, she still holds eight school records and places second in 10 other categories.

Her 40 kills in a 1989 match against Illinois State not only is tops in Northern Iowa history, but also stands as the all-time Missouri Valley/Gateway Conference record.

A native of Dike, Iowa, Petersen also holds school records for career and season digs with 1,457 and 471, respectively. She also compiled 1,611 career kills and a 3.41 career kill average.

In 1996 and 1997, Petersen played professionally for the Iowa Blizzard in the National Volleyball Association, earning All-Pro honors along with teammate and current assistant Barb Randall.

Petersen earned her bachelor's degree in therapeutic recreation in 1990 and her master's from UNI in physical education in 1992. She served as a graduate assistant with

the Panthers in 1990 and after completing her master's, was employed as a therapeutic recreation specialist in Fort Smith, Ark., and Fort Dodge, Iowa.

Petersen and her husband, Duane, reside in Dike with their twin daughters, Baylee and Sydney, who were born in February, 2000.



The Petersen File

Year	School	Overall Record	Conference Record	Conference Finish	Post-Season
1997	Northern Iowa	18-9	13-5	2nd	--

Education

Northern Iowa (1990) Bachelor's Degree in Therapeutic Recreation

Northern Iowa (1992) Master's Degree in Physical Education

College Coaching Experience

Northern Iowa Interim Head Coach, 1997

Northern Iowa Assistant Coach, 1995-96, 1998-2000

Northern Iowa Graduate Assistant Coach, 1990

Career Head Coaching Record: 18-9 (1 season)

College Volleyball Experience

Northern Iowa Volleyball, 1986-89

College Volleyball Honors

Voted UNI's Gateway Conference Player of the Decade, 1992

First Team All-Gateway Conference, 1987, '88, '89

Still holds UNI records for digs in a season (471) and career (1457)

Owens MVC/Gateway record for kills in a match with 40

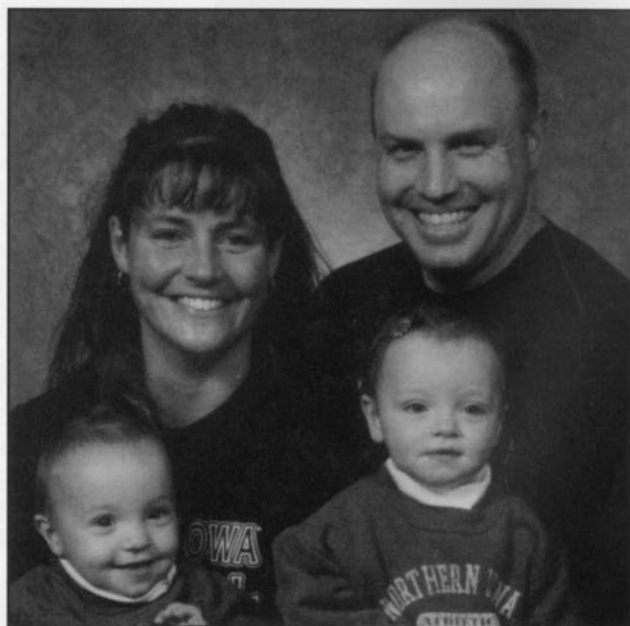
Four-time Gateway Conference Player of the Week

Professional Volleyball Experience

Iowa Blizzard, 1996-97

Professional Volleyball Honors

All-Pro Team, 1996-97



Assistant Coaches/Support Staff



**Assistant Coach
Barb Randall**

Barb Randall was hired June 27 to assume the top assistant coach spot vacated when Bobbi Petersen was promoted to head coach following Irdage Ahrabi-Fard's retirement on April 25.

Randall most recently coached at Kirkwood Community College in Cedar Rapids, IA, where she was an assistant with a Kirkwood team that reached the finals of the NJCAA Division II national tournament last fall. Randall's coaching experience at the college level also includes the 1996 season at Purdue. She also served as the head coach at Cedar Rapids (IA) Jefferson High School from 1998-99 and West Branch (IA) High in 1995.

Randall enjoyed a great career as a player at Iowa from 1987-90 under her maiden name of Barb Willis. While at Iowa, she helped the Hawkeyes go 82-50 while earning all-Big Ten honors three times. A 1990 *Volleyball Monthly* honorable-mention All-American, she set school career records with 557 blocks and a .260 attack percentage, marks that still stand.

Following her days at Iowa, Randall was a member of the US National Team from 1991-93 and played professionally in Italy in 1993-94. She also played professionally with the Iowa Blizzard in the National Volleyball Association, earning Defensive Player of the Year and All-Pro honors.



**Assistant Coach
Mary Bernhardt**

A former teammate of Bobbi Petersen, Mary Bernhardt returns to UNI this season on the Panther bench as an assistant coach, a position she also held in Petersen's interim year of 1997. Bernhardt's resume also includes assistant volleyball coaching positions at Iowa State (1991-92), Western Illinois (1990) and her alma mater, Dike High School.

Bernhardt was a four-year starting setter for the Panther volleyball team from 1984-87, leading the team in assists all four years. During her tenure at UNI, she was a three-time first team GTE/CoSIDA Division I Academic All-American, was voted the 1987 Gateway Conference Most Valuable Player and was named the first ever Reebok Volleyball Student Athlete of the Year.

In addition, she led the Panthers to two straight conference championships and NCAA appearances, earned all-conference honors three seasons and played in the 1987 East/West All-Star Classic in Stockton, Calif.

Her uniform number (#7) has been retired at UNI and she was inducted into the Iowa Girls High School Athletic Union Volleyball Hall of Fame in 2000. This fall, she'll be inducted into the UNI Athletics Hall of Fame.

**Alex Auker
Student Assistant**



Alex Auker is in her first season as a student assistant coach with UNI after starring for the past four seasons on the court.

Auker was a two-time MVC Tournament MVP and two-time first-team all-MVC while also being named all-Region, second-team all-MVC and to the MVC's all-Newcomer team once each. She was also a three-time first-team member of the MVC's Scholar-Athlete first team and four-time MVC Player of the Week.

She wrapped up her career third in UNI history in both kills (1360) and digs (1303) as the Panthers' won three conference titles.

She is a native of Byron, Illinois.

**Maya Hirsch
Student Assistant**



Maya Hirsch joins the UNI volleyball staff as a student assistant after spending the past four seasons in a Panther uniform.

Hirsch started 20 matches last season for UNI, playing in 31 matches and accumulating 23 kills, 38

digs and 25 blocks.

For her career, Hirsch appeared in 179 games, totaling 89 kills, 116 digs and 57 blocks as Northern Iowa won three consecutive league titles.

Her younger sister, Erin, redshirted for UNI last season and will battle with Jill Arganbright for playing time at setter.

Hirsch is a native of native Waterloo, Iowa.

Northern Iowa Volleyball Support Staff



Sandra Williamson
Senior Woman Administrator



DeAnn Woodin
Volunteer Assistant



Jared Penning
Manager



Jim Kramer
Strength/Conditioning



Matt Gage
Volleyball Trainer



Rob Anderson
Volleyball SID

Fun Fact: Barb Randall (Iowa) and Bobbi Petersen (UNI) both rank second in their school's history in career kills.

#10 Kim McCaffrey



#10 • Kim McCaffrey 6-0 • Senior • Outside Hitter Carroll, Iowa • Carroll High Preseason all-Missouri Valley Conference

2000: Lived up to preseason all-MVC pick by being named first-team all-Missouri Valley Conference after the season as well ...Also named to the MVC's Scholar-Athlete First Team ...Named to the Fresno State Invitational All-Tournament Team ...Named MVC Player of the Week for Sept. 18 after getting 40 kills in three matches vs. Minnesota, Illinois State and Indiana State ...Led UNI with 423 kills, 3.85 kills per game, 324 digs and 2.95 digs per game ...Played in 110-of-111 games and started 33-of-34 matches for the season ...Ranked fourth in the Valley in kills per game ...Had a team-best 15 kill-dig double-doubles ...Had a season-high 20 kills in season opener at #8 Pepperdine ...Had career-best 22 digs to go with 19 kills in four-game win at Iowa ...Led all players with 18 kills, 13 digs and a .481 hitting percentage in MVC Tournament championship match vs. Illinois State ...Led UNI in kills in 20 matches, digs 12 times (both team highs) and blocks three times ...Had 11 kills and 15 digs in NCAA win over Western Michigan ...Had 13 kills in NCAA match vs. Wisconsin ...Dean's List.

1999: Developed into one of the most explosive offensive players in the Missouri Valley Conference, garnering first team all-conference honors ...Ranked sixth in the league in hitting percentage (.260) and 10th in kill average (3.69) ...Led the Panthers with 380 kills, ranked second in digs with 297 and fourth with 75 blocks ...Also jump-served her way to 25 aces ...Notched a career-high 27 kills along with a .377% and 11 digs against Minnesota, another Sweet 16 team ...Collected double figure kills in 23 of the team's 31 matches, including 15 of the last 17 ...Voted to the all-tournament team at the Oregon State Showcase after recording 55 kills in four matches, including 19 against the host Beavers ...Had double figures in digs 15 times, including 21 and 20 in the NCAA Tournament against Ball State and Indiana, respectively ...Had 15 kills, 20 digs and six blocks vs. Indiana in the NCAA Tournament.

1998: Redshirted.

1997: Played in all 27 matches as a freshman ...Began her collegiate career with 11 kills in three matches at the Colorado State Invitational ...Only player from 1997 team remaining that played under interim head coach Bobbi Petersen.

High School: An outstanding all-around athlete who was selected to the Elite all-state team in volleyball



and basketball while winning the state track title in the 400-meter hurdles as a senior ...Led her team to a runnerup finish in Class 2-A at the state volleyball tournament as a senior after being named first team all-state in her class ...Named to the state all-tournament team as a senior and second team all-state her junior year ...Runnerup for Iowa Basketball Player of the Year in Class 3-A and captain of the all-tournament team ...Won the Jack North Award at the state basketball tournament as a senior ...Led her Carroll High squad to the state basketball title her junior and senior seasons ...Won the 400 hurdles at the state track meet twice and finished fourth as a sophomore ...Also placed in the high jump ...Won three letters each in volleyball, basketball, track and softball.

CAREER HIGHS

Kills: 27 vs. Minnesota (9/15/99)
Aces: 4 vs. Texas Christian (9/3/99)
Blocks: 6 twice, last vs. Indiana (12/3/99)
Digs: 22 at Iowa (9/26/00)

PERSONAL NOTES

Full Name: Kim McCaffrey

Major: Health Promotion with an Emphasis in Wellness

Minor: Coaching

Parents: Mike and Betty McCaffrey

Siblings: Stacy (18)

Engaged To: Shane Davis, getting married July 5

Family at UNI: None

Favorite Book: *Chicken Soup For the Soul*

Favorite Movie: *A League of Their Own*

Favorite Actor/Actress: Jim Carrey/Julia Roberts

Favorite Pro Sports Team: Chicago Cubs

Summer Job: Iradge Ahrahi-Fard Volleyball Camps

Hobbies: Biking and being outdoors

2001 Team Goal: Take UNI Volleyball to a new level

2001 Personal Goal: Be a good leader

Best Part of Trip To Europe: Making a lot of new friends

Best Sports Memory: All of our NCAA Tournaments experience and the Europe trip

I Chose UNI Because: Of the coaches and players

Best Aspect of Being an Athlete at UNI: Playing in the West Gym in front of all of our fans

I'd Like To See UNI Schedule: Wisconsin and Nebraska

Favorite Spot on Campus: Without a doubt the West Gym

I Most Admire: My grandpa for his courage and bravery

Volunteer Experience: Northern Iowa Jr. Volleyball Club coach

MVC Tournament Stats

Date	Opp.	K-E-TA	PCT	SA	DIG	BK
11/21/97	Creighton	0-0-1	.000	0	0	0
11/22/97	Illinois St.	1-0-3	.333	0	0	0
11/19/99	SW Missouri St.	14-3-24	.458	0	9	2
11/20/99	Illinois St.	11-5-32	.188	0	10	2
11/24/00	Evansville	4-6-32	-.063	1	9	1
11/25/00	Illinois St.	18-5-27	.481	0	13	1
TOTAL	6 matches	48-19-119	.244	1	41	6

NCAA Tournament Stats

Date	Opp.	K-E-TA	PCT	SA	DIG	BK
12/2/99	Ball St.	12-6-34	.176	1	21	3
12/3/99	Indiana	15-5-46	.217	0	20	6
12/10/99	Pacific	5-3-27	.074	0	8	4
12/1/00	W. Michigan	11-5-31	.194	1	15	2
12/2/00	Wisconsin	13-6-35	.200	1	3	1
TOTAL	5 matches	56-25-173	.179	3	67	16

Kim McCaffrey's Career Stats at Northern Iowa

Year	MP-GP	ATT	K	KPG	E	K%	A	APG	ACE	ACE/G	SE	RE	DIG	DPG	BS	BA	TOT	BPG	BE
1997	27-73	184	59	0.81	31	.152	13	0.18	0	0.00	0	2	15	0.21	1	20	21	0.29	4
1998	Redshirted																		
1999	31-103	908	380	3.69	144	.260	24	0.23	25	0.24	64	18	297	2.88	11	64	75	0.73	3
2000	34-111	1048	423	3.85	171	.240	21	0.19	25	0.23	47	7	324	2.95	3	58	61	0.55	12
Total	92-286	2140	862	3.01	346	.241	58	0.20	50	0.17	111	27	636	2.22	15	142	157	0.55	19



#8 • Kim Kester

5-10 • Junior • Outside Hitter

Urbana, Iowa • Center Point-Urbana High

2000: Earned second-team all-MVC honors for the second time in as many years despite coming off the bench in 21-of-29 matches ...Also a second-team MVC Scholar-Athlete selection ...Second on the team and in the MVC in hitting percentage at .312 ...Third on the team in assists per game at 0.35 and fourth on the squad in both blocks per game (0.59) and kills per game (2.43) ...Hit an impressive .331 in MVC contests only ...Had 19 kills and 13 digs vs. Wisconsin (9/6) ...Named MVP of the Fresno State Invitational after collecting 46 kills, 17 blocks and a .330 hitting percentage in four matches ...Had career-best 24 kills at Creighton, the most by any Panther in 2000 (10/27) ...Missed five matches with an ankle injury suffered vs. Minnesota (9/13) ...Led team in kills and blocks four matches each.

1999: Became the fourth Panther in school history to be named conference Newcomer of the Year, also earning second team all-Valley honors ...Did not play in the season's first five matches, but was pulled out of a planned red-shirt when teammate Jeni Schneckloth was lost for the year due to a knee injury in the season opener ...Ranked third on the team in kill (2.91), dig (2.58) and block (0.89) average, and fourth in hitting percentage (.244) ...Led the Panthers and ranked fourth in the Valley in service ace average (0.35) ...Enjoyed her best match in the second round of the NCAA Tournament with a season-high 18 kills and 21 digs vs. Indiana ...Also had 16 kills in the first round against Ball State ...Recorded double-figure kills in 13 of her 26 matches ...Notched six double-doubles, including 11 kills-13 digs vs. Minnesota; 12 kills-16 digs vs. Wichita State; and 10 kills-10 digs plus a career-high eight blocks against Illinois State in the final of the Missouri Valley Conference Tournament.

High School: Voted the state Player of the Year for all classes after leading Center Point-Urbana to the semifinals of the state tourna-



ment ...Named to the Elite all-state team, the Class 2-A Player of the Year and captain of the state all-tournament team ...Led the state her senior year with a .788 hitting percentage while ranking fourth with a 6.13 kill average ...Selected to play in the Iowa Coaches All-Star Classic ...A second team all-stater as a junior, sixth team as a sophomore ...A two-time all-state performer in basketball who is a member of CPU's 1,000-point club ...Selected to play in the Dr. Pepper All-Star Game ...Also a four-time all-state shortstop in softball and two-time state track qualifier.

CAREER HIGHS

Kills: 24 at Creighton (10/27/00)

Aces: 4 twice, last vs. Indiana State (11/12/99)

Blocks: 8 vs. Illinois State (11/20/99)

Digs: 21 vs. Indiana (12/3/99)

PERSONAL NOTES

Full Name: Kimberly Jean Kester

Major: Elementary Education/Middle School Education

Parents: Bill and Gail Kester

Siblings: Mindy (26), Karissa (18), Lindsay (13), Alicia (9) and Lou (7)

Family at UNI: My sister Karissa is a freshman at UNI

Career Goal: Become an Elementary principal and move to Arizona or Colorado

Favorite Movie: *The Goonies*

Favorite Actors/Actress: Cuba Gooding Jr. and Josh Hartnett/Julia Roberts

Favorite Athlete: Staci Sykora

Favorite Pro Sports Team: Chicago Cubs

Summer Job: Pheasant Ridge Golf Course

Hobbies: Skiing, going to the beach, napping, biking, collecting bottle caps & Kim Anderson figurines

Best Sports Memory: Beating Indiana to qualify for the Sweet 16 my freshman year

Best Part of Trip To Europe: Paris and the opportunity to make friends internationally

I Chose UNI Because: Coaches/Players...It's the best volleyball program in the state

I'd Like To See UNI Schedule: Nebraska

Favorite Spot on Campus: The West Gym packed with 2,500 fans

I Most Admire: My parents and Grandpa Kester

Odd Superstition: Ball around back before serve

Best Advice I Ever Received: "Give to the world the best you have and the best will come back to you"

MVC Tournament Stats

Date	Opp.	K-E-TA	PCT	SA	DIG	BK
11/19/99	SW/Missouri St.	11-3-21	.381	0	8	1
11/20/99	Illinois St.	10-7-32	.094	3	10	8
11/24/00	Evansville	3-3-11	.000	0	0	0
TOTAL	3 matches	24-13-64	.172	3	18	9

NCAA Tournament Stats

Date	Opp.	K-E-TA	PCT	SA	DIG	BK
12/2/99	Ball State	16-8-39	.205	1	7	5
12/3/99	Indiana	18-7-40	.275	2	21	3
12/10/99	Pacific	4-2-17	-.118	1	4	1
12/1/00	W. Michigan	1-3-8	-.250	0	1	0
12/2/00	Wisconsin	2-4-11	-.182	0	1	0
TOTAL	5 matches	41-24-115	.148	4	34	9

Kim Kester's Career Stats at Northern Iowa

Year	MP-GP	ATT	K	KPG	E	K%	A	APG	ACE	ACE/G	SE	RE	DIG	DPG	BS	BA	TOT	BPG	BE
1999	26-85	595	247	2.91	102	.244	70	0.82	30	0.35	45	10	219	2.58	4	72	76	0.89	4
2000	28-79	413	192	2.43	63	.312	28	0.35	10	0.13	23	2	72	0.91	4	43	47	0.59	2
Total	54-164	1008	439	2.68	165	.272	98	0.60	40	0.24	68	12	291	1.77	8	115	123	0.75	6

#1 Miranda Weber



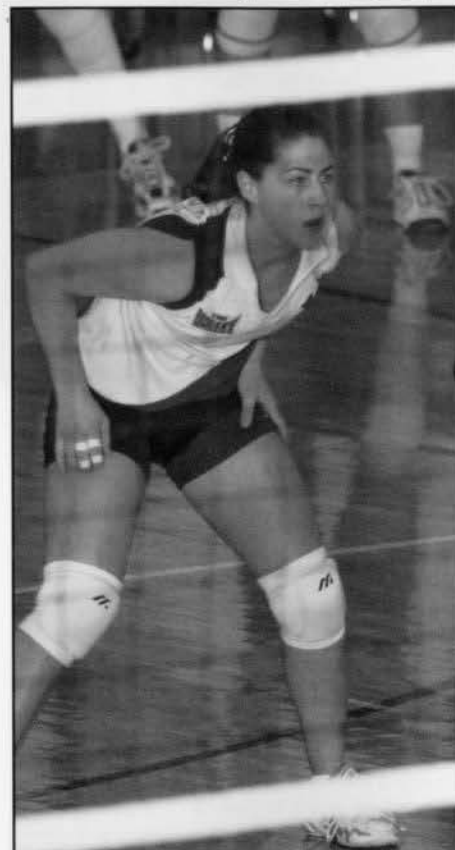
#1 • Miranda Weber 5-5 • Junior • Defensive Specialist Parkersburg, Iowa • Dike-New Hartford High

2000: Played in all 34 matches, starting six ...Led the team in digs on five different occasions, including NCAA Tournament match vs. Wisconsin when she had 15 (12/2) ...Also had only kill of the season in NCAA Tournament match at Wisconsin (12/2) ...Also matched her career-best with three service aces vs. Wisconsin ...Had 11 matches with 10 or more digs, including five of the last seven matches ...Had 10 service aces and just two serve errors over her last seven matches ...On pace to surpass 100 aces and 1,000 digs in her career--something only four players (Bobbi Becker, Kate Galer, Alex Auker and Mary Bernhardt) have done in UNI history.

1999: Established herself as one of the team's most reliable back row players and servers, starting in every match ...Ranked among the Missouri Valley Conference leaders in service aces much of the season, finishing with 28 aces, which tied for fourth on the team ...Also ranked fourth on the squad in digs with 232 for a 2.21 average ...Accumulated a season-best 15 digs in her first collegiate match at Utah ...Had double-figure digs in 10 matches, including five straight October 16-29 ...Collected 12 digs and two aces in the NCAA Tournament against Indiana ...Also had 14 digs against Oregon State and 13 vs. Wichita State.

1998: Redshirted.

High School: A fifth-team all-state choice and a member of two state championship teams for the Wolverines ...Voted to the all-state fourth team as a junior and to the all-conference first team as a junior and senior ...Also a five-year letterwinner in softball as a utility player and pitcher ...Earned all-state honors three times in softball ...Qualified for the state track meet four years and was a member of a second-place 4 x 800 relay team as a senior ...Also lettered twice in basketball.



CAREER HIGHS

Kills: 1 twice, last at Wisconsin (12/2/00)

Aces: 3 twice, last at Wisconsin (12/2/00)

Blocks: None

Digs: 18 at Creighton (10/27/00)*

PERSONAL NOTES

Full Name: Miranda Weber

Major: Elementary Education and Early Childhood Education

Career Aspiration: Become an elementary teacher and possibly coach

Parents: Laverne and Jan Weber

Siblings: Billie (28) and Lucretia (27)

Family History at UNI: Sister Billie. Also, my cousin Shonee Weber played volleyball at UNI

Favorite Book: *The Body Farm* by Patricia Cornwell

Favorite Movie: *Dumb and Dumber*

Favorite Actor/Actress: Russell Crowe/Julia Roberts

Favorite Pro Sports Team: Minnesota Vikings

Summer Job: Fox Ridge Golf Course in Dike

Hobbies: Biking and reading

2001 Team Goal: Go undefeated in the conference and make it back to the Sweet 16

2001 Personal Goal: Be a consistent player and a strong leader

Best Part of Trip To Europe: Sightseeing in Paris and getting to see all the historic landmarks

Best Sports Memory: Making it to the Sweet 16

I Chose UNI Because: I like the size and atmosphere of the campus and it is close to home

Best Aspect of Being an Athlete at UNI: Getting to work with great coaches and athletes everyday

I'd Like To See UNI Schedule: Nebraska

Favorite Spot on Campus: The West Gym

I Most Admire: My family for always supporting me in everything I do

MVC Tournament Stats

Date	Opp.	K-E-TA	PCT	SA	DIG	BK
11/19/99	SW/Missouri St.	0-0-0	---	1	2	0
11/20/99	Illinois St.	0-0-0	---	0	5	0
11/24/00	Evansville	0-0-1	.000	1	13	0
11/25/00	Illinois St.	0-0-1	.000	2	9	0
TOTAL	4 matches	0-0-2	.000	4	29	0

NCAA Tournament Stats

Date	Opp.	K-E-TA	PCT	SA	DIG	BK
12/2/99	Ball State	0-0-0	---	2	7	0
12/3/99	Indiana	0-1-0	-1.000	2	12	0
12/10/99	Pacific	0-0-0	---	0	5	0
12/1/00	W. Michigan	0-0-0	---	0	11	0
12/2/00	Wisconsin	1-0-2	.500	3	15	0
TOTAL	5 matches	1-1-3	.000	7	50	0

Miranda Weber's Career Stats at Northern Iowa

Year	MP-GP	ATT	K	KPG	E	K%	A	APG	ACE	ACE/G	SE	RE	DIG	DPG	BS	BA	TOT	BPG	BE
1999	31-105	14	1	0.01	3	-.143	16	0.15	28	0.27	35	17	232	2.21	0	0	0	0.00	0
2000	34-111	28	1	0.01	5	-.143	16	0.14	22	0.20	20	31	281	2.53	0	0	0	0.00	0
Total	65-216	42	2	0.01	8	-.143	32	0.15	50	0.23	55	48	513	2.38	0	0	0	0.00	0

#9 Jill Arganbright

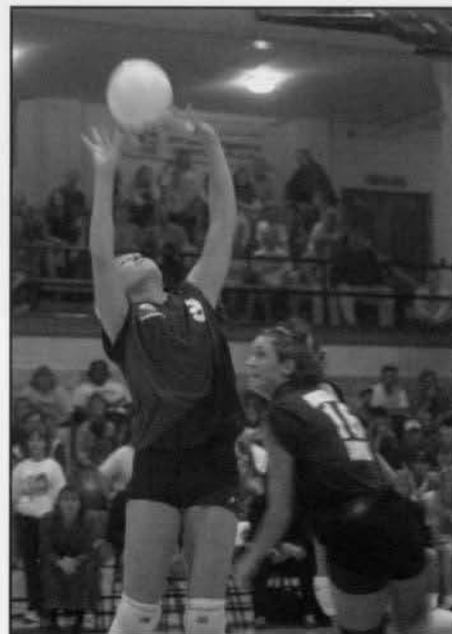


#9 • Jill Arganbright 5-10 • Sophomore • Setter Iowa City, Iowa • Iowa City West High Preseason all-Missouri Valley Conference

2000: Showed little signs of being a freshman while being named first-team all-Missouri Valley Conference ...Also named to the MVC's All-Newcomer Team ...Broke the school record for assists in a season with 1,347 to surpass by eight the previous record set by her predecessor, All-American Shannon Perry ...Led the Missouri Valley Conference with 12.14 assists per game and ranked eighth with .35 aces per game ...Averaged an even better 12.98 assists in MVC contests ...Smashed UNI's previous freshman record for assists of 1,116 set by Perry in 1997 ...Had two of the top four single-match assist totals in UNI history on back-to-back nights when she had 75 assists at Creighton (10/27) and 71 at Drake (10/28) ...Was named Missouri Valley Player of the Week for her performance (10/30) ...Had nine assist-dig double-doubles ...Had six aces vs. Western Illinois (9/19), the most in a match by any Panther in 2000 ...Had 56 assists in just three games at Indiana State (11/18) to set a new UNI assist record for a three-game match ...Led team in digs six times and blocks once ...Averaged 13.00 assists in UNI's NCAA Tournament run ...Had 23 assists or more in every match and ended the season with 11 straight matches of 30 or more assists ...Only had one match with a negative hitting percentage ...Played every point of every match.

1999: Redshirted.

High School: A first team all-stater as a senior after earning third team honors as a junior ...Averaged nine assists per game as a senior while leading the Trojan offense that ranked seventh in the state in hitting percentage ...A unanimous first team all-conference pick as a junior and senior ...Invited to the Iowa Coaches All-Star Game ...Named her school's Female Athlete of the Year as a senior ...A 4.0 student who was a State of Iowa Scholar and



class Valedictorian ...A member of the shuttle hurdle relay team that won the state track meet as a senior ...Also medalled in the high jump and 100-meter hurdles ...A two-time Drake Relays and four-time state track meet qualifier.

CAREER HIGHS

Kills: 8 twice, last vs. Washington St. (9/9/00)
Aces: 6 vs. Western Illinois (9/19/00)
Blocks: 8 at Drake (10/28/00)
Digs: 15 at Creighton (10/27/00)
Assists: 75 at Creighton (10/27/00)

PERSONAL NOTES

Full Name: Jill Arganbright

Major: Biology/Chemistry

Career Aspiration: Become a doctor

Parents: Jerry and Glenda Arganbright

Siblings: Jeni (19)

Family History at UNI: Sister Jeni is a freshman at UNI

Favorite Book: *Charlotte's Web* by E.B. White

Favorite Movies: *Footloose* and *The Goonies*

Favorite Actor/Actress: Brad Pitt/Cameron Diaz

Favorite Pro Sports Team: Minnesota Vikings

Summer Job: Pheasant Ridge Golf Course

Hobbies: Working out and taking naps

2001 Team Goal: Reach our potential and go undefeated in conference

2001 Personal Goal: Improve my defense and become a leader on the court

Best Part of Trip To Europe: Seeing Paris with my friends

Best Sports Memory: Winning the 2000 MVC Tournament

I Chose UNI Because: Very successful reputation, great coaches and friendly teammates

Best Aspect of Being an Athlete at UNI: My teammates and getting to travel all over with them

I'd Like To See UNI Schedule: Nebraska

Favorite Spot on Campus: The dining center

I Most Admire: My parents

Best Advice: Don't worry about things you can't change

Odd Superstitions: Wear the same hair ties in my hair

Volunteer Experience: Worked at University Hospital

MVC Tournament Stats

Date	Opp.	K-E-TA	PCT	A	DIG	BK
11/24/00	Evansville	3-2-13	.077	31	6	3
11/25/00	Illinois St.	2-2-12	.000	43	3	1
TOTAL	2 matches	5-4-25	.040	74	9	4

NCAA Tournament Stats

Date	Opp.	K-E-TA	PCT	A	DIG	BK
12/1/00	W. Michigan	6-1-18	.278	54	14	3
12/2/00	Wisconsin	4-0-18	.222	50	9	1
TOTAL	2 matches	10-1-36	.250	104	23	4

Jill Arganbright's Career Stats at Northern Iowa

Year	MP-GP	ATT	K	KPG	E	K%	A	APG	ACE	ACE/G	SE	RE	DIG	DPG	BS	BA	TOT	BPG	BE
2000	34-111	356	120	1.08	38	.230	1347	12.14	39	0.35	31	0	253	2.28	3	57	60	0.54	10
Total	34-111	356	120	1.08	38	.230	1347	12.14	39	0.35	31	0	253	2.28	3	57	60	0.54	10

Fun Fact: Jill Arganbright was the third player in MVC history to lead the league in assists as a freshman.

#16 Michelle Burvee



#16 • Michelle Burvee

6-2 • Sophomore • Middle Blocker

Waterloo, Iowa • Waterloo Columbus High

2000: Provided a strong presence in the middle alongside freshman classmate Molly O'Brien, averaging 1.01 blocks per game ...Ranked sixth in the Missouri Valley Conference with an average of 1.21 blocks per league game ...Was also fourth in league games with an impressive .320 hitting percentage ...Started nine-of-34 matches with all nine starts coming in the final 11 matches of the year ...Hit an impressive .692 (10 kills, 1 error, 13 attempts) in late-season contest vs. Southern Illinois (11/11) ...Had season high 29 kill attempts vs. Western Michigan (12/1) in UNI's NCAA Tournament victory over the Broncos ...Also hit a productive .600 (10-1-15) at Indiana State (11/18) ...Had three matches with 10 or more kills, including a career-best 14 kills at Creighton (10/27) ...Had season-high three block solos vs. Evansville (11/24) ...Had seven block assists at Fresno State (9/8) ...Led UNI in blocks in four of her nine starts and five times while coming off the bench.

High School: A first team all-state selection who led the Sailors to a no. 9 ranking and 22-7-8 record ...A second team all-state pick as a junior ...A member of the third-place club team at the national tournament in 2000 ...Played in the Senior Volleyball Classic ...First team all-district and all-Metro as a junior and senior ...Also a first team all-state basketball player and honorable mention all-American as a junior and senior ...A state qualifier and school record-holder in the high jump.



CAREER HIGHS

Kills: 14 at Creighton (10/27/00)

Aces: None

Blocks: 9 at SW Missouri State (9/22/00)

Digs: 4 twice, last at Illinois State (11/17/00)

PERSONAL NOTES

Full Name: Michelle Burvee

Major: Communications

Career Aspiration: Public Relations

Parents: Jim and Carolyn Burvee

Siblings: Jackie (31), Todd (28) and Katie (16)

Family History at UNI: Dad, uncle, sister Jackie and cousins went to UNI

Favorite Book: *A Tale of Two Cities* by Charles Dickens

Favorite Movie: *The Sound of Music*

Favorite Actor/Actress: Tom Hanks/Julia Roberts

Favorite Pro Sports Team: Chicago Cubs

Hobbies: Reading, seeing movies and shopping

2001 Team Goal: For the team to grow stronger with Bobbi

2001 Personal Goal: To overcome radical changes and stay focused

Best Sports Memory: Playing in the NCAA Tournament last year

I Chose UNI Because: Of its reputation and the location. It's close to home and my entire family can come to watch

Best Aspect of Being an Athlete at UNI: The community and the players

I'd Like To See UNI Schedule: Stanford for the chance to play against 2000 Olympian Logan Tom

Favorite Spot on Campus: Campanile

I Most Admire: My mom. She lives with Multiple Sclerosis everyday and is the bravest person I know

Best Advice: Play for the name on the front of your uniform, not the one on your back

Odd Superstitions: I always have a ribbon in my hair when I play

MVC Tournament Stats

Date	Opp.	K-E-TA	PCT	SA	DIG	BK
11/24/00	Evansville	6-1-14	.357	0	2	6
11/25/00	Illinois St.	5-1-10	.400	0	0	1
TOTAL	2 matches	11-2-24	.375	0	2	7

NCAA Tournament Stats

Date	Opp.	K-E-TA	PCT	SA	DIG	BK
12/1/00	W. Michigan	7-7-29	.000	0	1	7
12/2/00	Wisconsin	8-2-20	.300	0	1	3
TOTAL	2 matches	15-9-49	.122	0	2	10

Michelle Burvee's Career Stats at Northern Iowa

Year	MP-GP	ATT	K	KPG	E	K%	A	APG	ACE	ACE/G	SE	RE	DIG	DPG	BS	BA	TOT	BPG	BE
2000	34-107	350	156	1.46	67	.254	1	0.01	0	0.00	0	0	33	0.31	14	94	108	1.01	14
Total	34-107	350	156	1.46	67	.254	1	0.01	0	0.00	0	0	33	0.31	14	94	108	1.01	14

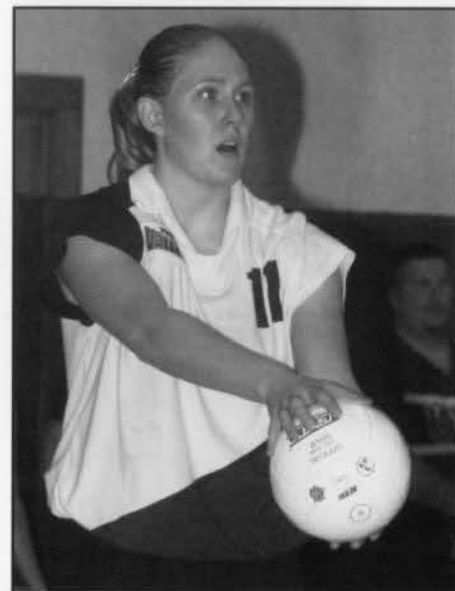
#11 Molly O'Brien



#11 • Molly O'Brien 5-10 • Sophomore • Middle Blocker Parnell, Iowa • Williamsburg High Preseason all-Missouri Valley Conference

2000: Named the Missouri Valley Conference Newcomer of the Year, joining Kim Kester, Kate Galer and Kris Schroeder as Panthers who have won the award since 1987 ...Named first-team all-conference and to the MVC's all-Newcomer team as well ...Ranked 17th nationally in blocks per game with 1.50, which was fourth among the nation's freshmen ...Also finished second in the MVC in blocks per game ...Was sixth in the league in hitting percentage at .279 ...Was even better in league games only, where her .332 hitting percentage was second to teammate Jeni Schneckloth and she led the league in blocks at 1.91 per game ...A major reason why UNI went 23-0 when it had more blocks than its opponent ...Had UNI's only triple-double of the season in a four-game win at Creighton (10/27) ...Had 14 kills, 12 blocks and 11 digs for UNI's first triple-double since former All-American Shannon Perry had one in the 1999 NCAA Tournament ...Named MVC Player of the Week on Sept. 25 after hitting a combined .540 (29-2-50) in wins over Western Illinois (6-0-7=857), Southwest Missouri State (13-1-24=500) and Wichita State (10-1-19=474) ...Named to the all-MVC Tournament team after having 13 kills, 12 digs and 12 blocks total in two wins to help UNI to the title ...Had 10 block assists vs. Evansville for a new three-game school record ...Had 10 or more kills on 10 occasions, 10 or more digs seven times and 10 or more blocks twice ...Had three double-doubles besides her triple-double.

High School: One of the most highly recruited players in the nation, she was an Elite all-state performer after leading her team to a 31-1 record ...Ranked second in the state with a .521 hitting percentage and seventh with a 4.67 kill average ...A four-time all-state selection, including first team as a junior and senior



...Recorded 46 kills in a quarterfinal match at the state tournament ...A member of *Volleyball Magazine's* Fab 50 in the nation as a senior ...An Elite all-state track athlete who was a member of the state championship shuttle hurdle relay team ...Placed fourth in the 200-meter dash and fifth in the long jump at the state track meet.

CAREER HIGHS

Kills: 14 at Creighton (10/27/00)
Aces: 3 twice, last vs. Drake (9/29/00)
Blocks: 12 at Creighton (10/27/00)
Digs: 14 at Drake (10/28/00)
Career Triple-Doubles: at Creighton (10/27/00)
14 kills, 12 blocks, 11 digs

PERSONAL NOTES

Full Name: Molly Ann O'Brien

Major: Undecided

Career Aspiration: Graduate from college, get a good job, get married, make lots of money and have kids

Parents: Eddie and Jean O'Brien

Siblings: Katie (25) and John (23)

Family History at UNI: Mom (Jean) and brother (John) both attended UNI

Favorite Book: *Angela's Ashes*

Favorite Movie: *The Last of the Mohicans*

Favorite Actor/Actress: Russell Crowe/Julia Roberts

Summer Job: Help with volleyball camps

Hobbies: Photography, being outdoors and playing sports

2001 Team Goal: To prove UNI has a great volleyball team by going further in the NCAA Tournament

2001 Personal Goal: To help contribute to the team's success

Best Part of Trip To Europe: Meeting all of the great people and spending time with my teammates

Best Sports Memory: Winning the MVC Tournament

I Chose UNI Because: Of the coaches, players and location

Best Aspect of Being an Athlete at UNI: Making friends with teammates and getting to know all the terrific volleyball fans

I'd Like To See UNI Schedule: Penn State

I Most Admire: My family

Odd Superstitions: Whenever I do something and it works, I keep doing it

MVC Tournament Stats

Date	Opp.	K-E-TA	PCT	SA	DIG	BK
11/24/00	Evansville	12-2-22	.455	0	6	1
11/25/00	Illinois St.	2-1-11	.091	1	10	5
TOTAL	2 matches	14-3-33	.333	1	16	6

NCAA Tournament Stats

Date	Opp.	K-E-TA	PCT	SA	DIG	BK
12/1/00	W. Michigan	13-5-33	.242	0	13	2
12/2/00	Wisconsin	10-6-42	.095	2	5	6
TOTAL	2 matches	23-11-75	.160	2	18	8

Molly O'Brien's Career Stats at Northern Iowa

Year	MP-GP	ATT	K	KPG	E	K%	A	APG	ACE	ACE/G	SE	RE	DIG	DPG	BS	BA	TOT	BPG	BE
2000	34-111	613	252	2.27	81	.279	32	0.29	25	0.23	20	20	222	2.00	19	147	166	1.50	13
Total	34-111	613	252	2.27	81	.279	32	0.29	25	0.23	20	20	222	2.00	19	147	166	1.50	13

Fun Fact: O'Brien's 1.50 blocks per game average was 17th nationally and fourth among freshmen

Freshmen Profiles



3 • Katie Epley
5-9 • FRESHMAN • OUTSIDE HITTER
WAVERLY, IOWA
WAVERLY-SHELL ROCK HIGH

2000: Redshirted ...Named to the Dean's List in the fall.

High School: Missed her senior season after sustaining a serious knee injury ...Named to the all-state second team and the state all-tournament team as a junior ...Led her team to a runnerup finish at the state Class 3A state tournament as a junior ...Averaged 3.13 kills, 0.84 service aces and 2.93 digs per game while posting a .318 hitting percentage ...An honorable mention all-state selection as a sophomore.

PERSONAL NOTES

Full Name: Katie Lea Epley

Major: Biology

Career Aspiration: Somewhere in the medical field

Parents: Dale and Deb Emmert; Dennis and Barb Epley

Siblings: Zach (16) and Leslie (8)

Family History at UNI: Step-dad Dale Emmert went to UNI

Favorite Book: *Oh the Places You'll Go* by Dr. Seuss

Favorite Movie: *Ferris Bueller's Day Off*

Favorite Actor: John Travolta

Favorite Pro Sports Team: Los Angeles Lakers

Hobbies: Hanging out with friends and outdoor activities

2001 Team Goal: Win MVC Tourney; go undefeated in MVC; make it to the Sweet 16

2001 Personal Goal: Improve my individual game and contribute to the team's success

Best Sports Memory: Going to state in volleyball my junior year of high school

Best Advice I've Ever Received: Don't give up

Best Aspect of Being a UNI Athlete: The great crowd support we get at all of the volleyball games.



5 • Stephanie Germann
6-3 • FRESHMAN • MIDDLE BLOCKER
LEMARS, IOWA
GEHLEN CATHOLIC HIGH

High School: Led the state of Iowa with an average of 3.72 blocks per game ...Iowa Girls' Coaches Association first-team all-state at the class 1A level ...Also named all-district and all-conference during her senior season ...First-team all-Northwest District as a junior while being named fifth-team all-state ...Also ranked among the state's best in kills (3.48 kpg.) and hitting percentage (.392) ...Coached by Donna Ruhland in volleyball ...Also played basketball, where she was a team captain and team MVP ...Named third-team all-state outfielder in softball while also serving as team captain ...Went to Honduras on a Mission Trip in April of 2001.

PERSONAL NOTES

Full Name: Stephanie Ann Germann

Major: Undecided (Spanish minor)

Parents: Gerald and Paula Germann

Siblings: Christopher (16) and Sarah (12)

Family History at UNI: Mom went to UNI for graduate school

Favorite Movie: *Save the Last Dance*

Favorite Actor/Actress: Matt Damon/Julia Roberts

Hobbies: Hanging out with friends, watching movies, reading and working out

2001 Team Goal: To be conference champs

2001 Personal Goal: Improve on all aspects of my game

Best Sports Memory: Hitting two homers in one softball game

I Chose UNI Because: Of its high history of academic success and the strong volleyball program

I Most Admire: My parents for their unending support and love

Best Advice: Work hard at everything and never give up

Summer Job: Worked at the LeMars YMCA



6 • Erin Hirsch
5-9 • FRESHMAN • SETTER
WATERLOO, IOWA
WATERLOO EAST HIGH

2000: Redshirted.

High School: A second team all-stater as a senior after earning third team honors as a junior ...Named her school's Female Athlete of the Year as a senior ...Her club team finished third at the national tournament in 2000 ...Named Metro Player of the Year ...Averaged more than two blocks per game as a junior and senior ...First team all-Mississippi Valley Conference pick as a junior and senior, second team her sophomore year.

PERSONAL NOTES

Full Name: Erin Elizabeth Hirsch

Major: Elementary Education/Early Childhood

Career Aspiration: To teach elementary kids and coach

Parents: Dave and Andrea Hirsch

Siblings: Maya (23)

Family History at UNI: Dad (David) and sister (Maya) attended UNI. Maya played volleyball for the Panthers from 1997-00 and is a student assistant coach with volleyball

Favorite Movie: *Big Business/Big*

Favorite Pro Sports Team: St. Louis Cardinals

2001 Team Goal: To go farther than any previous UNI volleyball team

2001 Personal Goal: To get in and get some experience

Best Sports Memory: Finishing third at nationals

I Chose UNI Because: Of the great team

Best Aspect of Being an Athlete at UNI: Games at the West Gym

Favorite Spot on Campus: West Gym

I Most Admire: Grandma Jeanne

Odd Superstitions: Only pick up pennies if they're heads up

Freshmen Profiles



15 • Abby Lemek
5-11 • FRESHMAN • OUTSIDE HITTER
SIOUX CITY, IOWA
BISHOP HEELAN HIGH

2000: Redshirted ...Named to the Dean's List and winner of the Panther Academic Award.

High School: The Iowa High School Player of the Year for all classes and a member of the Elite all-state team ...Led her team to the state Class 3-A title as a senior ...Captain of the Northwest Iowa volleyball team ...Also an Elite all-state track performer ...Named the Siouxland Foundation Sportswoman of the Year ...A Wendy's High School Heisman nominee ...Named to the all-state fourth team as a junior ...Also a State of Iowa Scholar ...Academic all-stater in volleyball and basketball ...Was the Valedictorian of her senior class.

PERSONAL NOTES

Full Name: Abby Lynn Lemek

Major: Biomedicine (Chemistry minor)

Career Aspiration: Medical school--field undecided

Parents: Joseph and Margaret Lemek

Siblings: Allison (21)

Favorite Book: *Uncle Tom's Cabin*

Favorite Movies: *Dumb and Dumber*; *Tommy Boy*

Favorite Actor/Actress: Denzel Washington/Julia Roberts

Favorite Athlete: Marion Jones

Hobbies: Running, reading, being with friends and sleeping

2001 Team Goal: Top-15 national ranking, at least Sweet 16 in the NCAA Tournament

2001 Personal Goal: Contribute to the team and have a positive influence/attitude

Best Sports Memory: Winning the Class 3A Iowa Volleyball State Championship in 1999

I Chose UNI Because: Successful volleyball program, excellent coaches & strong academics in science programs

Best Part of Europe Trip: Going to the Moulin Rouge and Notre Dame in Paris



2 • Rachel Tink
6-0 • FRESHMAN • OUTSIDE HITTER
WATERLOO, IOWA
WALNUT RIDGE BAPTIST ACADEMY

High School: Iowa State Player of the Year as a senior ...Led the state with 540 kills in 84 games for an average of 6.43 kpg ...Also ranked third with a .501 hitting percentage ...Team coached by Bob Fessler finished the season ranked seventh in Class 1A with a 27-6-2 mark ...Was a first-team all-state 1A and all-Elite selection as a junior and senior, a third-team all-state pick as a sophomore, and an all-state special mention selection as a freshman ...Four-time all-district, all-conference and all-Metro pick ...Averaged 5.21 kills and hit .475 as a junior ...Led the Regents to their first-ever district championship in 1998 ...Closed her prep career owning school records in kills, kill attempts, blocks and service aces ...Was named one of 12 All-Americans after helping her Six Pack club team to a third-place finish at 1999 nationals for USA Volleyball ...Chose UNI over 80 other schools, including Penn State ...Featured in *Sports Illustrated's* Faces In the Crowd section in the Jan. 22, 2001 issue.

PERSONAL NOTES

Full Name: Rachel Renee Tink

Major: Psychology

Career Aspiration: To help children in some way or another

Parents: David and Renee Tink

Siblings: Jesse (20) and Joshua (16)

Family History at UNI: Brother Jesse goes to UNI and dad David received his Master's degree from UNI

Favorite Book: *The Bible*

Favorite Movie: *Pearl Harbor*

Favorite Actor: Josh Hartnett

Favorite Pro Sports Team: Los Angeles Lakers

Favorite Athlete: Kobe Bryant

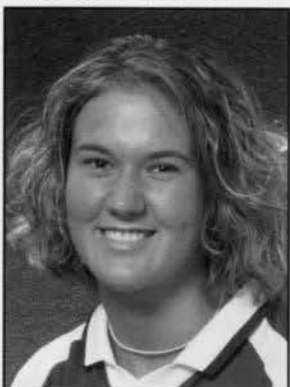
I'd Like To See UNI Schedule: Penn State

Best Sports Memory: Going to nationals for 3-of-4 years in high school

I Chose UNI Because: I have always wanted to go there, they are one of the best

Favorite Spot on Campus: The Wellness Center

I Most Admire: My parents for their wisdom and strength



12 • Shari Vermeer
6-0 • FRESHMAN • MIDDLE BLOCKER
SIOUX CENTER, IOWA
SIOUX CENTER HIGH

2000: Redshirted.

High School: Led the sixth-rated Warriors to the semifinals of the state Class 1A tournament ...Garnered first team all-state honors as a senior, third team as a junior and fourth team as a sophomore ...Voted to the state all-tournament team ...Led the state with a 7.09 kill average and ranked second with 3.59 blocks per game.

PERSONAL NOTES

Full Name: Shari Lynn Vermeer

Major: Undecided

Parents: Darrell and Virginia Vermeer

Siblings: Nate (23), Lecia (21), Darren (17) and Kristi (14)

Favorite Book: *Where the Heart Is*

Favorite Movie: *Pearl Harbor*

2001 Team Goal: Get to the NCAA's and go farther than last year

2001 Personal Goal: I want to start on the right side and contribute to the team in any way possible

Best Sports Memory: Going to the NCAA's

I Chose UNI Because: Good program, awesome coaching staff, location

Best Aspect of Being an Athlete at UNI: The team and coaching staff and the fun we have

Favorite Spot on Campus: On top of Maucker Union when it is sunny

I Most Admire: My family and friends

Freshman/New Rules



4 • Jessi Worrell

5-10 • FRESHMAN • OUTSIDE HITTER
WEST BRANCH, IOWA
WEST BRANCH HIGH

2000: Redshirted ...Made the Dean's List and MVC Honor Roll.

High School: An honorable mention all-state choice as a junior and senior ...Voted first team all-Eastern Iowa Hawkeye Conference her final two years after being selected to the second team as a sophomore ...Also an all-state basketball player who is her school's career rebounding leader and second-leading scorer ...A three-time all-state softball player.

PERSONAL NOTES

Full Name: Jessica Marie Worrell

Major: Biology--Biomedical emphasis (Chemistry minor)

Career Aspiration: Go to Medical School and become a doctor

Parents: Scott and Cindy Worrell

Siblings: Clay (22)

Favorite Book: *The Fifth Profession* by David Morrell

Favorite Movie: *The Big Lebowski*

Favorite Actor/Actress: Josh Hartnett/Gwyneth Paltrow

Favorite Pro Sports Team: Indiana Pacers

Favorite Athlete: Michael Jordan

Hobbies: Fishing, running and anything outdoors

2001 Team Goal: Make it back to the NCAA's and win conference

2001 Personal Goal: Always work my hardest and challenge other players to do the same

Best Sports Memory: First trip to the NCAA's

I'd Like To See UNI Schedule: Wisconsin or Stanford

Favorite Spot on Campus: The West Gym

I Most Admire: My mom

NCAA VOLLEYBALL WILL MOVE FROM SIDEOUT TO RALLY SCORING IN 2001

Colorado Springs, Colo. -- The National Association for Girls and Women in Sports, the official rules-making body for women's collegiate volleyball, has released its "2001-2002 NAGWS Official Rules, Interpretations & Officiating Rulebook". Among the modifications include changes in the scoring format to rally scoring, the let serve and the one toss per serve. The international pursuit rule was added as an experimental rule for the upcoming season.

The most noticeable difference this season will be the move from sideout volleyball to a rally scoring format where each play will result in a point. The first four games will be scored to 30 points, with the winner holding a two-point lead. The fifth and deciding game will be played to 15 with the winner leading by two points.

"It's great that we had the experience with rally scoring while in Europe," said UNI head coach Bobbi Petersen. "I think the biggest thing is the sideout and the serve receive. When the other team is scoring it is critical that your pass and sideout happens. If you can do that everytime, you're not going to get behind.

"The biggest change I see is that the comeback factor is going to be a lot smaller," continued Petersen. "In the rally scoring, if you get a number of points behind the comeback factor is not going to be there. The room for error is a lot less. Instead of emphasizing go full out, in certain situations you might say we need to make sure we get it in at that point. Players are going to have to think about what they are doing and lessen their errors. I think it'll be more pressure than in the sideout game because you could make some errors in the sideout game and it wouldn't cost your team anything. I think it'll take a couple years before people figure out what to emphasize in the rally scoring game."

Other significant changes involve the serve. Players must serve the ball within eight seconds after the referee authorizes service and will not be allowed a second toss for service. Further, the collegiate game will mimic the international game with the let serve. A served ball will remain in play if it hits the net and continues its path to the opposition's court. A service ace can be earned if the ball falls to the opposition's side of the court on the serve, despite contact with the net on service.

The international pursuit, an experimental rule for 2001-2002, can be implemented in a match by agreement of both coaches. The rule allows for a player to retrieve a ball (on second contact) that has crossed the plane of the net to the opponent's free space, provided that player does not touch the opponent's court and sends the ball back to their court, over or outside the antennas, for an opportunity for the third contact.

FUTURE NCAA VOLLEYBALL FINAL FOUR SITES

2001	Site	Date(s)
1st/2nd Rounds:	TBD (on campus)	Nov. 29-30 or Nov 30-Dec 1 or Dec 1-2, 2001
Regionals:	TBD (on campus)	Dec 6-7 or 7-8 or 8-9, 2001
Finals:	Cox Arena at Aztec Bowl, San Diego, CA	Dec. 13 & 15, 2001
Ticket office phone number is 619/283-7378		
2002	Site	Date(s)
1st/2nd Rounds:	TBD (on campus)	Dec. 5-8, 2002
Regionals:	TBD (on campus)	Dec. 12-15, 2002
Finals:	New Orleans Sports Arena, New Orleans, LA	Dec. 19 & 21, 2002
2003	Site	Date(s)
1st/2nd Rounds:	TBD (on campus)	Dec. 4-7, 2003
Regionals:	TBD (on campus)	Dec. 11-14, 2003
Finals:	Reunion Arena, Dallas, TX	Dec. 18 & 20, 2003
2004	Site	Date(s)
1st/2nd Rounds:	TBD (on campus)	Dec. 2-5, 2004
Regionals:	TBD (on campus)	Dec. 9-12, 2004
Finals:	Long Beach State Univ. Arena, Long Beach, CA	Dec. 16 & 18, 2004



2000 Statistical Summary

2000 NORTHERN IOWA STATISTICS--ALL GAMES (29-5)

Player	MP	GP	Kills	KPG	E	TA	Pct.	Ast.	APG	SA	SE	SA/G	RE	Dig	DPG	BS	BA	TB	BPG	BE
Kim McCaffrey	34	110	423	3.85	171	1048	.240	21	0.19	25	47	0.23	7	324	2.95	3	58	61	0.55	12
Jeni Schneckloth	34	107	291	2.72	96	623	.313	59	0.55	20	43	0.19	19	272	2.54	5	68	73	0.68	12
Alexandra Auker	33	107	277	2.59	127	813	.185	31	0.29	32	45	0.30	38	305	2.85	7	56	63	0.59	10
Kim Kester	28	79	192	2.43	63	413	.312	28	0.35	10	23	0.13	2	72	0.91	4	43	47	0.59	2
Molly O'Brien	34	111	252	2.27	81	613	.279	32	0.29	25	20	0.23	20	222	2.00	19	147	166	1.50	13
Michelle Burvee	34	107	156	1.46	67	350	.254	1	0.01	0	0	0.00	0	33	0.31	14	94	108	1.01	14
Jill Arganbright	34	111	120	1.08	38	356	.230	1347	12.14	39	31	0.35	0	253	2.28	3	57	60	0.54	10
Maya Hirsch	31	85	23	0.27	13	67	.149	0	0.00	10	18	0.12	1	38	0.45	1	24	25	0.29	3
Andrea Carlson	9	12	3	0.25	3	18	.000	0	0.00	0	0	0.00	0	4	0.33	0	0	0	0.00	0
Miranda Weber	34	111	1	0.01	5	28	-.143	16	0.14	22	20	0.20	31	281	2.53	0	0	0	0.00	0
Team													7							
UNI Totals	34	111	1738	15.66	664	4329	.248	1535	13.83	183	247	1.65	125	1804	16.25	56	547	329.5	2.97	76
Opp. Totals	34	111	1437	12.95	869	4524	.126	1305	11.76	125	258	1.13	184	1557	14.03	58	318	217.0	1.95	71

(Returners in bold)

OVERALL TEAM RECORD: 29-5

CUMULATIVE ATTENDANCE: 32,496

TOTAL AVERAGE ATTENDANCE: 956

MISSOURI VALLEY RECORD: 18-0

HOME ATTENDANCE: 13,153

HOME AVERAGE: 1,315

HOME RECORD: 10-0

AWAY ATTENDANCE: 11,870

AWAY AVERAGE: 848

AWAY RECORD: 12-2

NEUTRAL ATTENDANCE: 7,473

NEUTRAL AVERAGE: 747

NEUTRAL RECORD: 7-3

2000 NORTHERN IOWA STATISTICS--MVC GAMES ONLY (18-0)

Player	MP	GP	Kills	KPG	E	TA	Pct.	Ast.	APG	SA	SE	SAPG	RE	Dig	DPG	BS	BA	TB	BPG	BE
Kim McCaffrey	18	58	229	3.95	89	561	.250	9	0.16	7	22	0.12	4	165	2.84	1	30	31	0.53	5
Jeni Schneckloth	18	58	171	2.95	47	346	.358	36	0.62	9	23	0.16	8	146	2.52	4	43	47	0.81	9
Alex Auker	18	18	158	2.72	62	443	.217	19	0.33	14	23	0.24	17	182	3.14	4	37	41	0.71	7
Molly O'Brien	18	58	143	2.47	35	325	.332	16	0.28	12	10	0.21	15	121	2.09	8	103	111	1.91	9
Kim Kester	14	42	83	1.98	26	172	.331	11	0.26	3	10	0.07	0	29	0.69	1	22	23	0.55	2
Michelle Burvee	18	57	101	1.77	36	203	.320	1	0.02	0	0	0.00	0	21	0.37	8	61	69	1.21	10
Jill Arganbright	18	58	48	0.83	12	155	.232	753	12.98	19	17	0.33	0	135	2.33	1	41	42	0.72	7
Maya Hirsch	17	44	14	0.32	5	33	.273	0	0.00	4	9	0.09	0	12	0.27	0	10	10	0.23	0
Andrea Carlson	3	4	1	0.25	0	6	.167	0	0.00	0	0	0.00	0	1	0.25	0	0	0	0.00	0
Miranda Weber	18	58	0	0.00	2	7	-.286	5	0.09	11	11	0.19	19	160	2.76	0	0	0	0.00	0
Team													6							
UNI Totals	18	58	948	16.34	314	2251	.282	850	14.66	79	125	1.36	69	972	16.76	27	347	200.5	3.46	49
Opp. Totals	18	58	749	12.91	499	2451	.102	682	11.76	69	136	1.19	79	813	14.02	25	133	91.5	1.58	48

2000 Miscellaneous Statistical Leaders

20 Kill-20 Dig Club

#5 Alex Auker (1)

at Iowa 21 kills, 24 digs

Triple-Doubles

#11 Molly O'Brien (1)

at Creighton 14 kills, 12 blocks, 11 digs

Double-Doubles

#5 Alex Auker (5)

at Iowa 21 kills, 24 digs

at Bradley 18 kills, 16 digs

at Creighton 12 kills, 15 digs

Southern Illinois 10 kills, 11 digs

vs. Western Michigan 11 kills, 11 digs

#14 Jeni Schneckloth (6)

at Southwest Missouri State 11 kills, 11 digs

at Iowa 17 kills, 12 digs

at Creighton 11 kills, 29 digs

vs. Evansville 10 kills, 15 digs

vs. Western Michigan 23 kills, 11 digs

at #4 Wisconsin 16 kills, 13 digs

#10 Kim McCaffrey (15)

at #8 Pepperdine 20 kills, 12 digs

vs. Cal State-Fullerton 14 kills, 12 digs

at Fresno State 13 kills, 10 digs

vs. UC-Riverside 12 kills, 10 digs

at Southwest Missouri State 18 kills, 12 digs

at Iowa 19 kills, 22 digs

Drake 11 kills, 11 digs

at Bradley 11 kills, 10 digs

at Drake 17 kills, 17 digs

Bradley 16 kills, 15 digs

Southern Illinois 15 kills, 14 digs

at Illinois State 12 kills, 11 digs

at Indiana State 15 kills, 10 digs

vs. Illinois State 18 kills, 13 digs

vs. Western Michigan 11 kills, 15 digs

#8 Kim Kester (1)

vs. #15 Wisconsin 19 kills, 13 digs

#9 Jill Arganbright (9)

vs. #15 Wisconsin 40 assists, 10 digs

at SW Missouri State 45 assists, 12 digs

at Iowa 59 assists, 13 digs

Creighton 35 assists, 11 digs

at Bradley 43 assists, 11 digs

at Iowa State 39 assists, 12 digs

at Evansville 30 assists, 11 digs

at Creighton 75 assists, 15 digs

vs. Western Michigan 54 assists, 14 digs

#11 Molly O'Brien (3)

vs. #15 Wisconsin 13 kills, 13 digs

at Drake 12 kills, 14 digs

vs. Western Michigan 13 kills, 13 digs

Match Wins By Games

	1	2	3	4	5	Total
Northern Iowa	0	0	22	7	0	29
Opponent	0	0	3	2	0	5

Games Won By Game

	1	2	3	4	5	Total
Northern Iowa	28	27	27	7	0	89
Opponent	6	7	7	2	0	22

Points Won By Game

	1	2	3	4	5	Total
Northern Iowa	494	481	475	122	0	1572
Opponent	327	283	311	79	0	1000

Match-by-Match Leaders & Scores

Match-by-Match Results and Leaders

Date	Opponent	Result	Attendance	Game Scores	UNI Kill Leader	UNI Dig Leader	UNI Block Leader
Sept. 1	at #8 Pepperdine#	L 0-3	350	11-15, 17-19, 11-15	McCaffrey-20	McCaffrey-12	McCaffrey-3
Sept. 2	vs. Wright State#	W 3-0	---	15-3, 15-9, 15-10	McCaffrey-9	McCaffrey-13	Kester-3
Sept. 2	vs. Middle Tenn. St.#	W 3-0	---	15-12, 15-3, 15-6	McCaffrey-14	Auker-5	M. Hirsch-4
Sept. 6	vs. #15 Wisconsin\$	L 1-3	1314	14-16, 7-15, 15-8, 10-15	Kester-19	Auker-15	O'Brien-4
Sept. 8	vs. Cal State-Fullerton&	W 3-0	50	15-5, 15-7, 15-13	McCaffrey-14	McCaffrey-12	O'Brien-7
Sept. 8	at Fresno State&	W 3-1	510	15-11, 6-15, 15-5, 15-4	McCaffrey-13	Auker-11	Burvee-7
Sept. 9	vs. Washington State&	L 0-3	50	10-15, 14-16, 11-15	McCaffrey-13	Auker-10	M. Hirsch-3
Sept. 9	vs. UC-Riverside&	W 3-0	100	15-11, 15-7, 15-1	Kester-14	McCaffrey-10	McCaffrey-3
Sept. 13	vs. #9 Minnesota@	L 0-3	1473	10-15, 9-15, 6-15	McCaffrey-11	O'Brien-10	Kester-3
Sept. 15	Indiana State*	W 3-1	1687	15-8, 15-8, 9-15, 15-6	McCaffrey-19	Weber-10	O'Brien-4
Sept. 16	Illinois State*	W 3-0	1215	15-11, 15-3, 15-8	Schneckloth-13	Weber-15	O'Brien-4
Sept. 19	Western Illinois	W 3-0	852	15-5, 15-6, 15-8	McCaffrey-7	Auker-11	O'Brien-5
Sept. 22	at SW Missouri State*	W 3-1	878	15-9, 15-5, 11-15, 15-8	McCaffrey-18	Arganbright-9	O'Brien-6
Sept. 23	at Wichita State*	W 3-0	386	15-10, 15-7, 15-3	McCaffrey-12	Arganbright-12	Burvee-9
Sept. 26	at Iowa	W 3-1	1232	15-9, 15-3, 12-15, 15-5	Auker-21	McCaffrey-12	O'Brien-7
Sept. 29	Drake*	W 3-0	1636	15-4, 15-5, 15-4	McCaffrey-11	Auker-24	O'Brien-7
Sept. 30	Creighton*	W 3-0	1234	15-12, 15-1, 16-14	McCaffrey-13	McCaffrey-11	O'Brien-4
Oct. 6	at Bradley*	W 3-0	390	15-13, 17-15, 15-4	Auker-18	Arganbright-10	Burvee-6
Oct. 11	at Iowa State	W 3-0	923	15-6, 15-6, 15-7	Kester-17	Schneckloth-10	O'Brien-6
Oct. 13	at Southern Illinois*	W 3-0	200	15-8, 15-7, 15-5	McCaffrey-10	Weber-17	M. Hirsch-1
Oct. 14	at Evansville*	W 3-0	186	15-10, 15-7, 15-8	McCaffrey-14	Arganbright-12	Kester-1
Oct. 20	Wichita State*	W 3-0	1187	15-11, 15-2, 15-5	Schneckloth-14	Arganbright-11	Burvee-1
Oct. 21	SW Missouri State*	W 3-0	1746	15-1, 15-3, 15-6	Auker-11	McCaffrey-10	Schneckloth-1
Oct. 27	at Creighton*	W 3-1	387	15-12, 12-15, 15-7, 16-14	Kester-24	Auker-9	Kester-6
Oct. 28	at Drake*	W 3-1	388	14-16, 15-6, 18-16, 15-4	Schneckloth-23	Arganbright-11	O'Brien-10
Nov. 2	Bradley*	W 3-0	936	15-7, 15-10, 15-13	McCaffrey-16	McCaffrey-10	O'Brien-7
Nov. 10	Evansville*	W 3-0	1352	15-3, 15-7, 15-6	Schneckloth-10	Auker-10	Burvee-7
Nov. 11	Southern Illinois*	W 3-0	1308	16-14, 15-6, 15-5	McCaffrey-15	O'Brien-9	O'Brien-6
Nov. 17	at Illinois State*	W 3-0	2332	15-6, 15-5, 15-7	McCaffrey-12	Schneckloth-9	O'Brien-12
Nov. 18	at Indiana State*	W 3-0	169	15-8, 15-6, 15-11	McCaffrey-15	Schneckloth-29	Arganbright-8
Nov. 24	vs. Evansville!	W 3-0	---	15-10, 15-10, 15-9	O'Brien-12	McCaffrey-17	Burvee-8
Nov. 25	vs. Illinois State!	W 3-0	1030	15-2, 15-5, 15-10	McCaffrey-18	Arganbright-6	O'Brien-8
Dec. 1	vs. Western Michigan^	W 3-1	3456	16-14, 8-15, 15-7, 15-8	Schneckloth-23	McCaffrey-14	Schneckloth-5
Dec. 2	at #4 Wisconsin^	L 1-3	3539	13-15, 16-14, 5-15, 6-15	Schneckloth-16	McCaffrey-15	O'Brien-7
						Weber-15	O'Brien-9

Legend: #Pepperdine Invite in Malibu, CA; \$Match played in Dubuque, IA; & Fresno St. Invite in Fresno, CA; @Match played in Rochester, MN; *MVC match; MVC Tournament in Terre Haute, IN; ^NCAA Round 1&2 in Madison, WI

PANTHER MATCH STARTERS

Player	Starts	Matches Played
Jill Arganbright	34	34
Molly O'Brien	34	34
Kim McCaffrey	33	34
Alex Auker	32	33
Jeni Schneckloth	27	34
Maya Hirsch	20	31
Michelle Burvee	9	34
Kim Kester	8	29
Miranda Weber	6	34
Andrea Carlson	1	9



Michelle Burvee (16) and Jeni Schneckloth

MATCH LEADERS BY CATEGORY

Player	Kills	Digs	Blocks
Kim McCaffrey	20	12	3
Jeni Schneckloth	6	4	3
Kim Kester	4	--	4
Alex Auker	3	10	--
Molly O'Brien	1	2	22
Jill Arganbright	--	6	1
Miranda Weber	--	5	--
Michelle Burvee	--	--	9
Maya Hirsch	--	--	3

Panthers Perfect In MVC; Reach NCAA Round Two As Ahrabi-Fard Picks Up 500th Career Victory in 2000 Season

Nobody said matching the accomplishments of 1999's 30-1 University of Northern Iowa volleyball team was going to be easy. However, a young team featuring three prominent freshmen nearly duplicated those feats in 2000, rolling through another undefeated Missouri Valley Conference campaign and reaching the second round in the NCAA Tournament.

Intent on boosting their growing national reputation, the UNI volleyball team thrived against arguably its toughest schedule ever, going 29-5 and teetering on the edge of the Top-25 poll all season. Ranked for the first time ever in the preseason poll at 22nd, UNI would live up to the high expectations and finish the season ranked 24th.

A difficult opening test resulted in a three-game loss at #8 Pepperdine, snapping UNI's 47-match regular-season winning streak dating to 1998. Following wins vs. Wright State and Middle Tennessee State, the Panthers headed to Dubuque to face Wisconsin in a "Border War" clash televised regionally by Fox 28/40. In what would be a preview of the second round of the NCAA Tournament, the #15 Badgers made the most of their opportunities to defeat UNI in four games.

A return trip to California saw UNI place second to Washington State at the Fresno State Invitational, despite the performance of Tourney MVP Kim Kester's 45 kills in four matches. A revenge-driven #9 Minnesota squad claimed the Iowa/Minnesota "Border War" title with a three-game sweep of the Panthers in Rochester, Minn., on Sept. 13. The loss dropped UNI's record to 5-4, but the difficult preseason schedule helped test the Panthers and sparked the club to win 24 matches in a row and a third consecutive Missouri Valley Conference championship.

Northern Iowa won its home and MVC opener, 3-1, over Indiana State in what would be the only game it dropped all season in 10 matches at home. A three-game sweep over perennial rival Illinois State established UNI as the early league favorite, and it cruised to an unprecedented third consecutive perfect MVC season. Also among the season highlights were another mythical state title, after UNI posted a perfect mark in matches vs. in-state foes Iowa, Iowa State and Drake.

The Panthers closed the MVC regular-season



Alex Auker



Irdage Ahrabi-Fard picked up his 500th victory at Indiana State on Nov. 18

schedule with a three-game sweep of Indiana State. The win marked the 500th career victory for UNI coach Irdage Ahrabi-Fard, making him just the 26th coach in Division I history to accomplish the feat.

For the fourth consecutive year UNI met Illinois State in the MVC Tournament final, with the Panthers prevailing for the third straight year. The win rose UNI's streak to 60 consecutive wins vs. conference foes, eighth best in NCAA history. It also locked up an eighth NCAA Tournament appearance since 1986.

UNI discarded Mid-American Conference champion Western Michigan in the first round of the NCAA Tournament in Madison, Wis., before losing to fourth-ranked and eventual NCAA runner-up Wisconsin in four games to end the 2000 season at 29-5.

Individually, six different players received all-conference recognition from the Valley. Kim McCaffrey repeated first-team honors from a year ago, where she was joined by junior Jeni Schneckloth and freshmen Molly O'Brien and Jill Arganbright. Landing a spot on the second team were senior Alex Auker and sophomore Kester. O'Brien and Arganbright also were named to the MVC's all-Newcomer team, with O'Brien taking home Newcomer of the Year honors. In addition, Irdage Ahrabi-Fard took home his seventh MVC Coach of the Year honor, including his third honor in a row.

Statistically, Arganbright set a new UNI assist record with 1,347 on the year to best former All-American Shannon Perry's previous high of 1,339. Arganbright also had a team-best 39 service aces on the year. Fellow freshman O'Brien approached UNI records for blocks, averaging 1.50 blocks per game to lead the Panthers at the net. McCaffrey topped the team with 423 kills and 324 digs. After missing all but one match in 1999 with an ACL injury, Schneckloth led the team and MVC in hitting percentage at .313 on the season.

2000 INDIVIDUAL HONORS & AWARDS

#5 Alex Auker

Preseason all-Missouri Valley Conference
MVC Scholar-Athlete of Week, 12/1
Missouri Valley Conference Scholar-Athlete First Team
Missouri Valley Conference Second Team
Missouri Valley Conference All-Tournament Team
Missouri Valley Conference Tournament MVP

#8 Kim Kester

MVP Fresno St. Volleyball Invite All-Tournament Team
Missouri Valley Conf. Scholar-Athlete Second Team
Missouri Valley Conference Second Team

#9 Jill Arganbright

Missouri Valley Conference Player of the Week, 10/30
Missouri Valley Conference First Team
Missouri Valley Conference All-Newcomer Team

#10 Kim McCaffrey

Fresno State Volleyball Invite All-Tournament Team
Missouri Valley Conference Player of the Week, 9/18
Missouri Valley Conference Scholar-Athlete First Team
Missouri Valley Conference First Team
Preseason all-Missouri Valley Conference

#11 Molly O'Brien

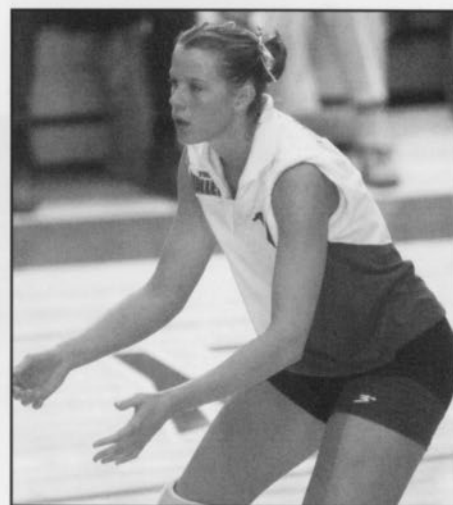
Missouri Valley Conference Player of the Week, 9/25
Missouri Valley Conference Newcomer of the Year
Missouri Valley Conference All-Newcomer Team
Missouri Valley Conference First Team
Missouri Valley Conference All-Tournament Team

#14 Jeni Schneckloth

MVC Scholar-Athlete of the Week, 10/27
Missouri Valley Conference First Team
Missouri Valley Conference All-Tournament Team

Irdage Ahrabi-Fard

Missouri Valley Conference Coach of the Year



Jeni Schneckloth

This is UNI

University of Northern Iowa

Building on a strong tradition of teacher education, the University of Northern Iowa has evolved into one of the finest comprehensive public universities in the country. UNI emphasizes excellence in undergraduate education and offers selected graduate programs at the master's, specialist's and doctoral levels.

UNI's heritage and philosophy place great value on providing a student-centered educational experience. The university offers a learning environment that is small enough to provide students individualized attention, yet large enough to provide a variety of resources, including distinguished faculty.

Students First

Today, UNI offers more than 120 undergraduate majors. Outstanding academic programs, many of which are nationally-recognized for their excellence, have been established in the colleges of Business Administration, Education, Humanities and Fine Arts, Natural Sciences, and Social and Behavioral Sciences. In addition, UNI participates in the bachelor of liberal studies program offered by Iowa's Regent Universities and provides classes in centers around the state through the division of Continuing Education and Special Programs.

Recognized as the premier public undergraduate university in the state, UNI is experiencing an increasing demand for its high-quality programs. UNI enrollments have increased by nearly eight percent in the past five years. Enrollment at UNI was 13,774 students in the fall of 2000, the third consecutive year of record enrollments. Students come from every county in Iowa, 47 states and 76 countries.

The University of Northern Iowa was founded in 1876 as the Iowa State Normal School. It became Iowa State Teachers College in 1909. In 1961, the name was changed to State College of Iowa, and in 1967, the Iowa Legislature changed the status of the institution to that of a university under its present title.

HIGHLIGHTS

- UNI has ranked second in Midwest top public comprehensive universities by *U.S. News and World Report* for four consecutive years.

- UNI was named in July 2001 to the Kaplan/*Newsweek* list of "schools that offer the best value for your tuition dollar."

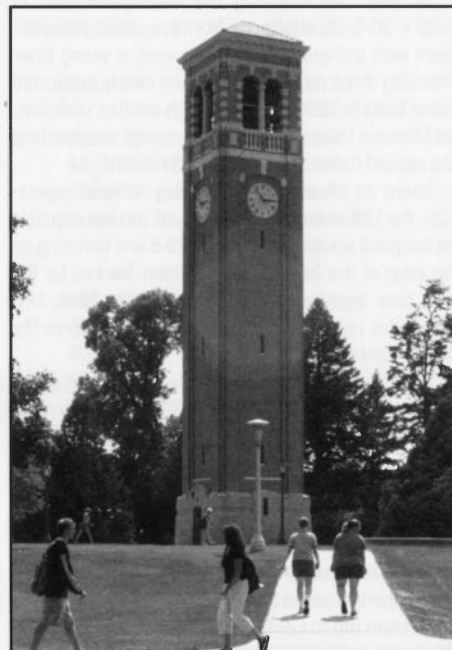
- UNI is the alma mater of NFL and Super Bowl MVP Kurt Warner, as well as U.S. Sen. Charles Grassley.

- UNI's Residential Network, ResNet, provides high-speed network computing to students living in the residence halls.

- A leading trade association magazine, *Athletic Business*, has selected the UNI Wellness/Recreation Center as one of 10 winners in its 1999 Facility of Merit award competition. The \$18.3 million facility, attached to the north side of the UNI-Dome, features the highest climbing wall in the Midwest, two pools, a running track, weight and fitness rooms, and courts for basketball, volleyball and racquetball.

- UNI has received a grant for more than \$1 million to train native speakers of languages other than English to be bilingual classroom teachers.

- UNI students are active and involved with more than 180 student organizations, including special interest clubs, sororities and fraternities, religious groups and academic groups.



STUDENT PROFILE

- Average age of undergraduates: 21.5
- Average age of graduate students: 34.1
- ACT scores of entering freshmen:
 - scores of 21-25 (51%)
 - scores of 26 or above (26%)
- Percent of student body from Iowa: 94.9



Dr. Robert Koob
University President



Rick Hartzell
Athletic Director



THE WEST GYM--WHERE THE MAGIC HAPPENS

Nestled in the heart of UNI's picturesque campus is the West Gymnasium--home to UNI volleyball, wrestling and women's basketball.

Built in 1925 for a mere \$180,000, the West Gym annually ranks among one of the toughest places to play for opposing teams. Tremendous fan support combined with an outstanding program have delivered a 34-match home court winning streak entering 2001, best in the nation.

Last season, besides going a perfect 10-0 in matches at home, the Panthers dropped just one game all season in the friendly confines. That success is nothing new, though, as UNI is a remarkable 120-5 (.960) in the West Gym since 1990, including undefeated seasons in 1991, '93, '94, '95, '98, '99 and 2000. In fact, the Panthers are 83-3 at home against conference foes since joining the MVC in 1993.

Last season, UNI averaged 1,315 fans to rank 17th nationally. To get tickets to attend a UNI home volleyball match, call (319) 273-DOME.

The Missouri Valley Conference

The new millennium brings challenges for college sports programs, but the Missouri Valley Conference continues to lead by example as one of college athletics' most progressive conferences. Now in its 95th year of existence, the Missouri Valley Conference emphasizes the importance of the student-athlete and is aggressive in its approach to provide opportunities for its member institutions.

Since its inception in 1907, the Missouri Valley Conference has been regarded as a leader by its peers among today's collegiate athletic conferences.

Based in St. Louis since 1985, the Conference has been aggressive in the approach to playing host to NCAA basketball championship events, producing a revenue-generating in-house television network, bidding out the right to play host to several sport championships and landing title sponsorships for those events.

Under the direction of J. Douglas Elgin, the ninth commissioner in Valley history, The Valley has played host to the 1993, 1998 and 1999 NCAA Division I Men's Basketball Midwest Regionals and the 2001 NCAA Division I Women's Basketball Final Four. In fact, The Valley plays host to three NCAA men's basketball events in the next four years.

On June 25, 1998, The Valley and the St. Louis Local Organizing Committee were tabbed by the NCAA Division I Men's Basketball Committee to play host to the 2005 Final Four (April 2 and 4) at the Trans World Dome. Along with the 2005 award, The Valley will serve as host for the 2004 Midwest Regional at the Dome.

On Dec. 17, 1998, The Valley and the St. Louis Local Organizing Committee were awarded by the NCAA Division I Men's Basketball Committee the 2002 First/Second Rounds of the South Regional (March 14 and 16) at the Trans World Dome. It will be the first time The Valley will serve as a first- and second-round host.

The oldest athletic conference west of the Mississippi River, The Valley has been cutting edge in the area of its television network.

Beginning in 1993-94, The Valley took its television network in-house and began to produce, syndicate and sell a televised package of regular- season and tournament events for distribution on local broadcast and national cable networks.

The Valley Television Network includes a package of more than 30 men's and women's basketball games and selected other tournament championship events that air on ESPN, ESPN2, Fox Sports Net, and on statewide cable systems and local broadcast stations throughout the Midwest.

Starting in 1995-96, the Conference broke new ground by bidding out the right to play host to its volleyball, women's basketball, softball, men's and women's soccer and baseball championships. By establishing uniform host criteria, the Conference is able to assist a host institution in a season-long promotional campaign and provide an avenue where hosts can acquire a title sponsor and achieve a profit for the event.

The seeds for this vision were planted by eight administrators representing five institutions, who gathered at the Midland Hotel in Kansas City, Mo., on Jan. 12, 1907. The five schools which formed the Missouri Valley Intercollegiate Athletic Association were Washington University of St. Louis, and the state universities of Iowa, Kansas, Missouri and Nebraska. Two months after the initial meeting, two more schools -- Drake University and Iowa State College -- were admitted.

In the fall of 1907, basketball became the first competitive sport. Today, the Missouri Valley Conference sponsors the following sports: baseball, men's and women's basketball, men's and women's cross country and track (indoor and outdoor), men's and women's golf, men's and women's

soccer, softball, men's and women's swimming and diving, men's and women's tennis and women's volleyball.

This season, the league will conduct its 91st outdoor track and field championship, its 84th tennis championship, its 48th baseball tournament and its 64th golf championship for the men. Those programs, plus other current sponsored sports of cross country (43 years), indoor track (35), soccer (11) and swimming and diving (8), have helped solidify the Missouri Valley Conference as one of the most respected conferences nationally.

Athletic accomplishments on the men's athletics side include four national basketball championships, 17 trips to the NCAA Men's Basketball Final Four and a 1989 national baseball championship. In 2001, Southwest Missouri State added to The Valley women's accomplishments, as the Lady Bears advanced to the Women's Basketball Final Four in St. Louis.

The inclusion of women's programs under the Valley banner -- the nation's second-oldest collegiate athletic conference -- has provided an immediate boost. The Gateway Collegiate Athletic Conference -- which began in 1982 -- merged with the Missouri Valley Conference and was unveiled as part of the new conference on July 1, 1992.

The 2000-01 academic year was, arguably, one of the greatest seasons in the history of The Valley. The league received a total of four at-large bids to NCAA championships -- two in men's soccer and one each in men's and women's basketball.

In men's soccer, Bradley, Southern Methodist and Creighton represented The Valley in the NCAA Tournament, but it was the Bluejays who reached the national championship game against Connecticut. In women's basketball, SMS captured the NCAA West Regional while advancing to the national semifinals against Purdue. In men's hoops, Indiana State defeated Big 12 Tournament champ Oklahoma in the first round of the NCAA South Regional.

The Valley also continued to cement its claim as one of the premier baseball conferences. Since 1980, 40 Valley teams have played in the NCAA Tournament, with nine of those teams advancing to the College World Series in the last 17 years.

Bradley became the first league team to play in the CWS in 1950, while Wichita State, which captured the NCAA title in 1989, has now represented The Valley in 14 of the last 15 NCAA baseball tournaments and reached the College World Series in six of the last 13 seasons. Former Wichita State greats Carter (1981) and Darren Dreifort (1993) were named collegiate Players of the Year.

The Valley has also produced national-caliber student-athletes in its other sponsored sports. In 2001, SMS's Jackie Stiles became the first Valley woman to earn the Honda Award, given to the nation's top female collegiate student-athlete.

In addition to the seven national sprint titles won by Indiana State's Holli Hyché in the 1990s, Southern Illinois' Darrin Plab won back-to-back NCAA outdoor high jump titles in 1991 and 1992. In fall of 1997, Creighton's Johnny Torres was named the collegiate male soccer player of the year for a second-straight year.

From its early beginning to its current standing on the map of college athletics, The Valley will always continue to be pro-active in its approach.

League members include Bradley University, Creighton University, Drake University, University of Evansville, Illinois State University, Indiana State University, University of Northern Iowa, Southern Illinois University, Southwest Missouri State University and Wichita State University. Affiliate members include Drury University (women's soccer) and Eastern Illinois, SMU, Tulsa, Vanderbilt and Western Kentucky (men's soccer).



FINAL 2000 MVC STANDINGS

	MVC	Overall
Northern Iowa	18-0	29-5
Illinois State	15-3	19-10
Southwest Missouri St.	14-4	27-7
Creighton	10-8	16-12
Evansville	10-8	19-15
Bradley	8-10	15-12
Indiana State	7-11	14-16
Drake	5-13	7-23
Wichita State	2-16	8-23
Southern Illinois	1-17	8-22

2000 ALL-CONFERENCE TEAM

FIRST TEAM

Jill Arganbright, Northern Iowa

Laura Benzing, Bradley

Julie Groves, Evansville

Samantha Hardwick, Bradley

Kendra Haselhorst, Illinois State

Kim McCaffrey, Northern Iowa

Rese McNatt, Southwest Missouri State

Molly O'Brien, Northern Iowa

Kailey Reyes, Creighton

Jeni Schneckloth, Northern Iowa

Melissa Walsh, Creighton

Becky Weber, Illinois State

SECOND TEAM

Alex Auker, Northern Iowa

Kim Bahr, Drake

Chenille Bayless, Southwest Missouri State

Cheryl Berg, Indiana State

Samantha Butler, Evansville

Ladi Iya, Evansville

Kristie Kemner, Southern Illinois

Kim Kester, Northern Iowa

Jessica Kiefer, Evansville

Megan Lynch, Indiana State

Jan Meloy, Wichita State

Megan Mirs, Indiana State

Erin Murphy, SW Missouri State

Megan O'Connell, Illinois State

ALL-NEWCOMER TEAM

Jill Arganbright, Northern Iowa

Chenille Bayless, Southwest Missouri State

Marika Giguere, Bradley

Erin Murphy, Southwest Missouri State

Molly O'Brien, Northern Iowa

Jennifer Richardson, Indiana State

Player of the Year: Kendra Haselhorst, Illinois State

Coach of the Year: Idrage Ahrabi-Fard, Northern Iowa

Newcomer of the Year: Molly O'Brien, Northern Iowa

Record Book--Career

Career Leaders

Kills

1720	Kate Galer (1993-96)
1611	Bobbi Becker (1986-89)
1360	Alex Auker (1997-2000)
1226	Maryellen McCann (1984-87)
1111	Lisa Meeker (1983-86)
1088	Holly VanHofwegen (1996-99)
1061	Chris Less (1988-91)
1017	Denise Cutteli (1987-90)
1006	Jill Schoeberl (1992-95)
1006	Stacy Makoben (1989-92)

Kill Average (min. 1,000 attempts)

4.35	Kate Galer (1993-96)
3.41	Bobbi Becker (1986-89)
3.28	Alex Auker (1997-2000)
3.13	Natalie Walters (1991-93)
3.01	Kim McCaffrey (1997, 99-Pres.)
2.93	Kerri Eich (1994, 96-98)
2.88	Maryellen McCann (1984-87)
2.85	Jill Schoeberl (1992-95)
2.74	Stacy Makoben (1989-92)
2.72	Holly VanHofwegen (1996-99)

Kill Errors

638	Alex Auker (1997-00)
606	Kate Galer (1993-96)
535	Bobbi Becker (1986-89)
516	Holly VanHofwegen (1996-99)
497	Stacy Makoben (1989-92)
431	Lisa Meeker (1984-87)
377	Maryellen McCann (1984-87)
374	Natalie Walters (1991-93)

Kill Attempts

3817	Kate Galer (1993-96)
3756	Bobbi Becker (1986-89)
3753	Alex Auker (1997-00)
2950	Maryellen McCann (1984-87)
2812	Lisa Meeker (1983-86)
2596	Stacy Makoben (1989-92)
2537	Holly VanHofwegen (1996-99)
2409	Denise Cutteli (1987-90)
2366	Kristie Oleen (1988-91)
2331	Chris Less (1988-91)

Hitting Percentage (min. 1,000 attempts)

.308	Chris Less (1988-91)
.306	Jill Sprague (1985-88)
.302	Kara Galer (1992-95)
.298	Jodi DeVries (1997-99)
.294	Kate Marovich (1993-96)
.292	Kate Galer (1993-96)
.289	Jill Schoeberl (1992-95)
.288	Maryellen McCann (1984-87)



Dawn Meester

Digs

1457	Bobbi Becker (1986-89)
1368	Kate Galer (1993-96)
1303	Alex Auker (1997-00)
1202	Mary Bernhardt (1984-87)
975	Kara Galer (1992-95)
913	Kari Warren (1983-86)
874	Lisa Meeker (1983-86)
961	Shannon Perry (1996-99)
857	Dawn Meester (1989-92)
850	Bobbie Kreple (1987-90)

Digs Per Game (150 games min.)

3.46	Kate Galer (1993-96)
3.17	Jill Wolf (1995-96)
3.14	Alex Auker (1997-00)
3.08	Bobbi Becker (1986-89)
2.59	Mary Bernhardt (1984-87)
2.50	Kara Galer (1992-95)
2.38	Miranda Weber (1999-Pres.)
2.38	Shannon Perry (1996-99)
2.37*	Amy Dall (1982-84)
2.22	Kim McCaffrey (1997, 99-Pres.)

Assists (min. 200)

4881	Shannon Perry (1996-99)
4265	Kara Galer (1992-95)
3977	Mary Bernhardt (1984-87)
2780	Bobbie Kreple (1987-90)
1895	Katie Crowley (1988-91)
1347	Jill Arganbright (2000-Pres.)

Assists Per Game (min. 200 assists)

12.14	Jill Arganbright (2000-Pres.)
12.08	Shannon Perry (1996-99)
10.94	Kara Galer (1992-95)
8.57	Mary Bernhardt (1984-87)
6.39	Bobbie Kreple (1987-90)
6.07	Katie Crowley (1988-91)

Service Aces

321	Dawn Meester (1989-92)
234	Bobbi Becker (1986-89)
183	Kari Warren (1983-86)
169	Mary Bernhardt (1984-87)
166*	Sylvia Eder (1982-85)
146	Maryellen McCann (1984-87)
143	Bobbie Kreple (1987-90)
141	Jill Sprague (1985-88)
128	Kate Galer (1993-96)

Service Aces Per game (min. 50 aces)

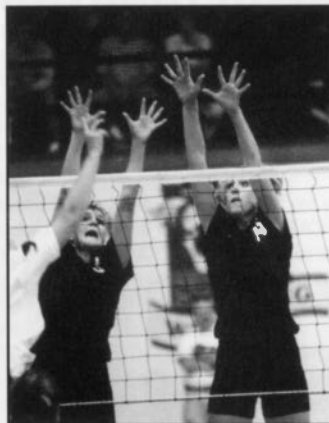
0.76	Dawn Meester (1989-92)
0.49*	Sylvia Eder (1982-85)
0.49	Bobbi Becker (1986-89)
0.44	Jill Sprague (1985-88)
0.44	Kari Warren (1983-86)
0.43	Sandy Jensen (1983-84)
0.40	Jill Wolf (1995-96)

Service Errors

257	Dawn Meester (1989-92)
216	Alex Auker (1997-00)
186	Holly VanHofwegen (1996-99)
168	Maryellen McCann (1984-87)
163	Kristie Oleen (1988-91)
158	Jill Sprague (1985-88)
156	Kate Marovich (1993-96)

Ace/Serve Error Ratio (min. 50 aces)

2.55	Sandy Jensen (1983-84)
2.03	Donna Boehmer (1983-84)
1.78	Mary Bernhardt (1984-87)
1.71	Kari Warren (1983-86)
1.65	Bobbi Becker (1986-89)



Shannon Perry (left) and Holly VanHofwegen

Receive Errors

172	Kari Warren (1983-86)
143*	Sylvia Eder (1982-85)
127	Alex Auker (1997-00)
125	Lisa Meeker (1983-86)
116	Denise Cutteli (1987-90)

Total Blocks

550	Holly VanHofwegen (1996-99)
539	Chris Less (1988-91)
407	Denise Cutteli (1987-90)
401	Carrie Shurr (1991-94)
400	Tricia Mills (1990-93)
388	Kari Warren (1983-86)
367	Kate Marovich (1993-96)
338	Jodi DeVries (1997-99)
327	Jill Sprague (1985-88)
304	Mary Bernhardt (1984-87)

Block Average (min. 150 games)

1.40	Carrie Shurr (1991-94)
1.38	Holly VanHofwegen (1996-99)
1.27	Chris Less (1988-91)
1.22	Jodi DeVries (1997-99)
1.10	Tricia Mills (1990-93)
1.04	Denise Cutteli (1987-90)
1.02	Jill Sprague (1985-88)
1.00	Kate Marovich (1993-96)

Block Solos

90	Denise Cutteli (1987-90)
86	Holly VanHofwegen (1996-99)
83	Kari Warren (1983-86)
74	Lisa Meeker (1983-86)
73	Carrie Shurr (1991-94)
71	Jill Sprague (1985-88)
67	Mary Bernhardt (1984-87)
65	Tricia Mills (1990-93)
63	Chris Less (1988-91)
57	Maryellen McCann (1984-87)

Block Assists

476	Chris Less (1988-91)
464	Holly VanHofwegen (1996-99)
407	Denise Cutteli (1987-90)
335	Tricia Mills (1990-93)
328	Carrie Shurr (1991-94)
313	Kate Marovich (1993-96)
305	Kari Warren (1983-86)
297	Jodi DeVries (1997-99)
256	Jill Schoeberl (1992-95)
256	Jill Sprague (1985-88)

Block Errors

152	Lisa Meeker (1983-86)
140	Kari Warren (1983-86)
121	Michelle Schaab (1983)
108*	Sylvia Eder (1982-85)
95	Jill Sprague (1985-88)
84	Mary Bernhardt (1984-87)
65	Chris Less (1988-91)
63	Maryellen McCann (1984-87)
60	Holly VanHofwegen (1996-99)

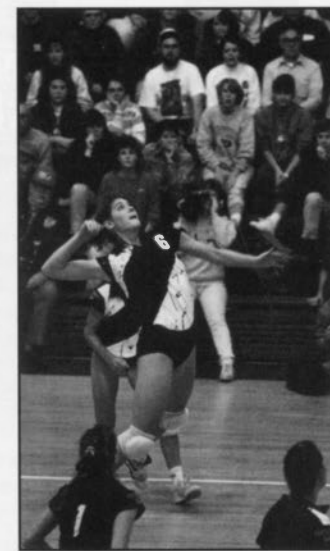
Matches Played

136	Denise Cutteli (1987-90)
136	Bobbi Becker (1986-89)
133	Mary Bernhardt (1984-87)
127	Kris Schroeder (1987-89, 91)
123	Kristie Oleen (1988-91)
123	Chris Less (1988-91)
123	Bobbie Kreple (1987-90)
121	Dawn Meester (1989-92)
119	Alex Auker (1997-00)
119	Kate Galer (1993-96)

Games Played

478	Denise Cutteli (1987-90)
473	Bobbi Becker (1986-89)
464	Mary Bernhardt (1984-87)
441	Lisa Meeker (1983-86)
435	Bobbie Kreple (1987-90)
426	Maryellen McCann (1984-87)
425	Chris Less (1988-91)
421	Dawn Meester (1989-92)
418	Kari Warren (1983-86)
415	Alex Auker (1997-00)

* according to available records



Chris Less

Record Book--Season

Season Leaders

Kills

535	Kate Galer	1996
534	Bobbi Becker	1989
501	Kerri Eich	1997
497	Denise Cuttall	1990
494	Maryellen McCann	1987
431	Kate Galer	1995
425	Natalie Walters	1993
423	Kim McCaffrey	2000
416	Bobbi Becker	1987
400	Stacy Makoben	1992

Kills Per Game

5.57	Kate Galer	1996
4.90	Bobbi Becker	1989
4.77	Kerri Eich	1997
4.35	Kate Galer	1995
4.35	Stacy Makoben	1992
4.14	Denise Cuttall	1990
4.09	Natalie Walters	1993

Kill Attack Percentage (min. 300 attempts)

.393	Kara Galer	1994
.352	Maryellen McCann	1986
.346	Jill Sprague	1986
.340	Lisa Meeker	1986
.332	Sylvia Eder	1985
.329	Carrie Shurr	1994
.326	Mary Bernhardt	1987
.325	Jodi DeVries	1998

Kill Attempts

1224	Kerri Eich	1997
1201	Kate Galer	1996
1195	Bobbi Becker	1989
1135	Denise Cuttall	1990
1117	Maryellen McCann	1987
1081	Alex Auker	1997
1053	Natalie Walters	1993
1048	Kim McCaffrey	2000
1003	Bobbi Becker	1988

Attack Errors

203	Alex Auker	1997
202	Kate Galer	1996
191	Kerri Eich	1997
187	Holly VanHofwegen	1997
180	Natalie Walters	1993
171	Kim McCaffrey	2000
163	Alex Auker	1998
160	Bobbi Becker	1987

Digs

471	Bobbi Becker	1987
433	Mary Bernhardt	1987
384	Kerri Eich	1997
374	Bobbi Becker	1989
365	Alex Auker	1999
362	Natalie Walters	1993
361	Maryellen McCann	1987
359	Jill Wolf	1996
355	Kate Galer	1994

Digs Per Game Average

3.74	Jill Wolf	1996
3.66	Kerri Eich	1997
3.53	Kate Galer	1993
3.51	Kate Galer	1994
3.48	Natalie Walters	1993
3.48	Alex Auker	1999
3.45	Kate Galer	1995

Assists

1347	Jill Arganbright	2000
1339	Shannon Perry	1997
1297	Bobbie Kreple	1990
1249	Mary Bernhardt	1987
1245	Shannon Perry	1999
1181	Shannon Perry	1998

Assists Per Game (min. 100)

12.75	Shannon Perry	1997
12.14	Jill Arganbright	2000
12.05	Shannon Perry	1998
11.86	Shannon Perry	1999
11.63	Shannon Perry	1996

Aces

104	Dawn Meester	1991
98	Dawn Meester	1992
86	Dawn Meester	1990
83	Sylvia Eder	1984
73	Maryellen McCann	1986

Aces Per Game (min. 25 aces)

1.088	Dawn Meester	1992
.920	Dawn Meester	1991
.761	Sylvia Eder	1984
.711	Dawn Meester	1990
.695	Maryellen McCann	1986

Service Errors

84	Dawn Meester	1992
81	Dawn Meester	1990
75	Kate Marovich	1996
70	Alex Auker	1998
68	Kristie Oleen	1990
68	Maryellen McCann	1987
68	Maryellen McCann	1986

Ace/Serve Error Ratio (min. 25 aces)

3.13	Donna Boehmer	1983
2.79	Mary Bernhardt	1985
2.50	Sandy Jensen	1983
2.46	Kari Warren	1983
2.32	Bobbi Becker	1989
2.07	Kara Galer	1994

Receiving Errors

84	Jane Witt	1983
72	Kari Warren	1983
69	Sylvia Eder	1983
63	Amy Dall	1984
51	Maryellen McCann	1987



Jill Arganbright

Total Blocks

180	Jane Witt	1983
168	Chris Less	1991
166	Molly O'Brien	2000
162	Denise Cuttall	1990
160	Holly VanHofwegen	1999
157	Holly VanHofwegen	1998
154	Chris Less	1990
150	Jodi DeVries	1999

Block Solos

48	Michelle Schaab	1983
36	Carrie Shurr	1993
35	Kari Warren	1986
30	Tina Parkin	1995
30	Tricia Mills	1993
30	Jane Witt	1983

Block Assists

150	Jane Witt	1983
147	Molly O'Brien	2000
147	Chris Less	1991
141	Chris Less	1990
139	Carrie Shurr	1994
137	Holly VanHofwegen	1999
137	Jodi DeVries	1999
137	Denise Cuttall	1990

Blocks Per Game

1.65	Carrie Shurr	1994
1.65	Jane Witt	1983
1.60	Holly VanHofwegen	1998
1.57	Carrie Shurr	1993
1.52	Holly VanHofwegen	1999
1.51	Tina Parkin	1995
1.50	Molly O'Brien	2000

Block Errors

121	Michelle Schaab	1983
77	Lisa Meeker	1983
76	Sylvia Eder	1983
70	Jane Witt	1983
67	Kari Warren	1983
50	Jill Sprague	1985

Games Played

138	Bobbi Becker	1987
138	Kris Schroeder	1987
138	Shawna Hutchins	1987
138	Mary Bernhardt	1987
137	Bobbie Kreple	1987
136	Denise Cuttall	1987
134	Lauren Lawrence	1987

Matches Played

39	Bobbi Becker	1987
39	Kris Schroeder	1987
39	Bobbie Kreple	1987
39	Denise Cuttall	1987
39	Shawna Hutchins	1987
39	Mary Bernhardt	1987
34	Kim McCaffrey	2000
34	Jeni Schneckloth	2000
34	Molly O'Brien	2000
34	Michelle Burvee	2000
34	Jill Arganbright	2000
34	Miranda Weber	2000

* According to available records. Records before 1983 are incomplete.

TEAM SEASON RECORDS

Matches - 58 (1982)
 Games - 181 (1982)
 Wins - 41 (1982)
 Losses - 20 (1983)
 Winning Percentage - .968 (1999)
 Winning Streak - 30 (Sept. 1-Dec. 3, 1999)
 Losing Streak - 7 (Sept. 13-23, 1983)
 Home Winning Streak - 50 (Oct. 10, 1992-Oct. 4, 1996)
 Home Attendance Average - 1,510 (1998)
 Consecutive Games Won - 36 (Twice, last Oct. 11-Nov. 19, 1995)
 Kills - 1,937 (1987)
 Total Attempts - 4,597 (1987)
 Hitting Percentage - .324 (1986)
 Service Aces - 326 (1987)
 Block Solos - 157 (1986)
 Block Assists - 565 (1990)
 Team Blocks - 354 (1990)
 Digs - 2,462 (1987)
 Assists - 1,577 (1987)



Bobbi Becker

Record Book--Match

Single-Match Leaders

Kills-3 Games

- 27 Bobbi Becker vs. Missouri (9/15/89)
- 24 Kate Galer vs. Indiana State (10/15/95)
- 21 Kate Galer vs. Southern Illinois (11/16/96)
- 21 Kate Galer vs. Bradley (10/20/95)

Kills-4 Games

- 34 Maryellen McCann vs. Iowa (11/3/87)
- 29 Kate Galer vs. SW Missouri St. (10/30/93)
- 28 Kate Galer vs. Drake (10/11/96)
- 28 Natalie Walters vs. SW Missouri St. (10/30/93)

Kills-5 Games

- 40 Bobbi Becker vs. Illinois St. (11/11/89)
- 35 Bobbi Becker vs. SW Missouri St. (11/18/89)
- 33 Denise Cuttall vs. Iowa (11/6/90)

Kill Attempts-3 Games

- 47 Natalie Walters vs. Illinois State (9/11/93)
- 43 Natalie Walters vs. Eastern Illinois (9/3/93)

Kill Attempts-4 Games

- 79 Kate Galer vs. SW Missouri St. (10/30/93)
- 76 Natalie Walters vs. Illinois St. (11/19/93)

Kill Attempts-5 Games

- 88 Bobbi Becker vs. Illinois St. (11/11/89)
- 86 Bobbi Becker vs. SW Missouri St. (11/18/89)

Kill Errors-3 Games

- 13 Kate Galer vs. Colorado (11/29/95)
- 12 Kate Galer vs. Southern Illinois (11/16/96)

Kill Errors-4 Games

- 19 Alex Auker vs. SE Missouri St. (9/6/97)
- 15 Alex Auker vs. Wichita St. (11/8/97)

Kill Errors-5 Games

- 15 Holly VanHofwegen vs. Bradley (10/25/97)
- 14 Bobbi Becker vs. Illinois St. (11/11/89)

Hitting Percentage (min. 10 att.)-3 Games

- .846 Kate Galer vs. Tulsa (10/2/93)
- .818 Kim McCaffrey vs. Iowa St. (9/14/99)
- .818 Kara Galer vs. Drake (11/4/93)
- .818 Jill Sprague vs. Valparaiso (9/5/87)
- .818 Maryellen McCann vs. NE Missouri St. (9/26/86)

Hitting Percentage (min. 10 att.)-4 Games

- .692 Allison Metz vs. Drake (11/22/96)
- .692 Kara Galer vs. Gonzaga (9/2/94)
- .647 Kara Galer vs. Indiana St. (9/15/94)

Hitting Percentage (min. 10 att.)-5 Games

- .577 Shannon Perry vs. Indiana St. (11/7/98)
- .556 Shannon Perry vs. Oregon St. (9/4/99)
- .467 Carrie Shurr vs. Illinois St. (11/12/93)

Assists-3 Games

- 56 Jill Arganbright vs. Indiana St. (11/18/00)**
- 51 Shannon Perry vs. Southern Illinois (10/3/98)
- 47 Kara Galer vs. Central Michigan (9/30/97)

Assists-4 Games

- 77 Shannon Perry vs. SW Missouri St. (10/11/97)
- 75 Jill Arganbright vs. Creighton (10/27/00)**
- 71 Jill Arganbright vs. Drake (10/28/00)**

Assists-5 Games

- 72 Mary Bernhardt vs. Western Illinois (9/25/87)
- 69 Shannon Perry vs. Southern Illinois (11/15/97)
- 68 Kara Galer vs. Drake (10/11/95)

Service Aces-3 Games

- 10 Dawn Meester vs. Indiana St. (10/26/91)
- 10 Dawn Meester vs. Tulsa (10/2/92)

Service Aces-4 Games

- 13 Dawn Meester vs. Winona St. (11/6/91)
- 12 Dawn Meester vs. St. Ambrose (9/18/90)

Service Aces-5 Games

- 10 Dawn Meester vs. Iowa St. (11/3/92)
- 7 Alex Auker vs. Minnesota (9/15/99)

Service Errors-3 Games

- 6 Kate Marovich vs. Arizona St. (8/30/96)
- 5 Kim Kester vs. Indiana St. (11/12/99)

Services Errors-4 Games

- 6 Carrie Shurr vs. Wichita St. (10/16/93)
- 5 Jeni Schneckloth vs. Indiana St. (9/15/00)**
- 5 Jill Schoeberl vs. Indiana St. (9/15/94)
- 5 Dawn Meester vs. Winona St. (9/25/90)

Service Errors-5 Games

- 7 Kim McCaffrey vs. Oregon St. (9/4/99)
- 6 Kristie Oleen vs. SW Missouri St. (11/1/91)
- 6 Sylvia Eder vs. Western Illinois (9/9/83)

Digs-3 Games

- 25 Bobbi Becker vs. Eastern Illinois (10/30/97)
- 23 Sandee Brandt vs. Murray St. (9/23/89)
- 22 Kris Schroeder vs. Missouri (9/15/89)

Digs-4 Games

- 29 Jeni Schneckloth vs. Creighton (10/27/00)**
- 28 Kate Galer vs. SW Missouri St. (10/30/93)
- 28 Natalie Walters vs. SW Missouri St. (11/19/93)
- 28 Mary Bernhardt vs. Iowa (11/6/84)

Digs-5 Games

- 39 Mary Bernhardt vs. Washington St. (9/11/87)
- 30 Bobbi Becker vs. William & Mary (12/1/89)
- 30 Maryellen McCann vs. Western Illinois (9/25/87)

Receiving Errors-3 Games

- 5 Miranda Weber vs. Southern Illinois (10/11/00)**
- 5 Kari Warren vs. Drake (9/24/85)
- 5 Alex Auker vs. Evansville (10/14/00)**

Receiving Errors-4 Games

- 6 Holly VanHofwegen vs. Indiana St. (11/1/97)
- 5 Kate Galer vs. Loyola Marymount (9/2/95)
- 5 Diane Cuttall vs. Minnesota (10/5/88)
- 5 Maryellen McCann vs. Drake (10/20/87)

Receiving Errors-5 Games

- 8 Kristie Oleen vs. Northwestern (9/20/91)
- 6 Bobbie Kreple vs. Northwestern (10/24/87)

Total Blocks-3 Games

- 10 Molly O'Brien vs. Evansville (10/14/00)**
- 9 Carrie Shurr vs. Bradley (11/13/93)
- 9 Tricia Mills vs. Winona St. (9/8/93)
- 9 Denise Cuttall vs. DePaul (9/28/90)

Total Blocks-4 Games

- 13 Holly VanHofwegen vs. Illinois St. (11/20/99)
- 13 Carrie Shurr vs. Wichita St. (9/17/93)

Total Blocks-5 Games

- 17 Jill Warren vs. Southern Illinois (10/18/85)
- 16 Chris Less vs. Illinois St. (10/25/91)

Block Solos-3 Games

- 5 Lisa Meeker vs. Western Illinois (11/15/86)
- 4 Carrie Shurr vs. Bradley (11/13/93)

Block Solos-4 Games

- 8 Kari Warren vs. Iowa St. (11/4/86)
- 6 Michelle Schaab vs. Loras (9/27/83)

Block Solos-5 Games

- 7 Maryellen McCann vs. SW Missouri St. (11/22/86)
- 6 Michelle Schaab vs. Bradley (10/22/83)

Block Assists-3 Games

- 10 Molly O'Brien vs. Evansville (10/6/00)**
- 10 Carrie Shurr vs. Southern Illinois (9/9/94)

Block Assists-4 Games

- 12 Jodi DeVries vs. Illinois St. (11/20/99)
- 11 Holly VanHofwegen vs. Illinois St. (11/20/99)
- 11 Holly VanHofwegen vs. Indiana St. (11/6/98)
- 11 Tina Parkin vs. Drake (9/15/95)
- 11 Carrie Shurr vs. Wichita St. (9/17/93)

Block Assists-5 Games

- 15 Jill Warren vs. Southern Illinois (10/18/85)
- 13 Chris Less vs. Illinois St. (10/25/91)

TEAM MATCH RECORDS

Kills -104 vs. SW Missouri State, 11/22/86
 Total Attempts - 275 vs. Baylor, 12/5/93
 Hitting Percentage - .646 vs. Tulsa, 9/9/95
 Service Aces - 26 vs. Winona State, 11/6/91
 Block Solos - 17 vs. Bradley, 10/22/83; Iowa State, 11/4/86
 Block Assists - 46 vs. Illinois State, 11/20/99
 Team Blocks - 28 vs. Southern Illinois, 10/18/85
 Digs - 125 vs. Washington State, 9/11/87
 Assists - 88 vs. Western Illinois, 9/25/87
 Home Attendance - 2,539 vs. Iowa, 11/7/89

*According to available records

Class/Yearly Leaders

Records By Class

KILLS

Freshman - 358, Kate Galer (1993)
 Sophomore - 416, Bobbi Becker (1987)
 Junior - 501, Kerri Eich (1997)
 Senior - 535, Kate Galer (1996)

ATTEMPTS

Freshman - 1,081, Alexandra Auker (1997)
 Sophomore - 1,003, Bobbi Becker (1987)
 Junior - 1,224, Kerri Eich (1997)
 Senior - 1,201, Kate Galer (1996)

HITTING PERCENTAGE (min. 300 att.)

Freshman - .313, Jill Sprague (1985)
 Sophomore - .346, Jill Sprague (1986)
 Junior - .393, Kara Galer (1994)
 Senior - .340, Lisa Meeker (1986)

ASSISTS

Freshman - **1,347, Jill Arganbright (2000)**
 Sophomore - 1,339, Shannon Perry (1997)
 Junior - 1,181, Shannon Perry (1998)
 Senior - 1,297, Bobbie Kreple (1990)

ACES

Freshman - 60, Jill Sprague (1985)
 Sophomore - 86, Dawn Meester (1990)
 Junior - 104, Dawn Meester (1991)
 Senior - 98, Dawn Meester (1992)

DIGS

Freshman - 349, Kate Galer (1993)
 Sophomore - 471, Bobbi Becker (1987)
 Junior - 384, Kerri Eich (1997)
 Senior - 433, Mary Bernhardt (1987)

BLOCK SOLOS

Freshman - 48, Michelle Schaab (1983)
 Sophomore - 26, Holly VanHofwegen (1997)
 Junior - 36, Carrie Shurr (1993)
 Senior - 35, Kari Warren (1986)

BLOCK ASSISTS

Freshman - 150, Jane Witt (1983)
 Sophomore - 119, Sylvia Eder (1983)
 Junior - 141, Chris Less (1990)
 Senior - 147, Chris Less (1991)

TOTAL BLOCKS

Freshman - 180, Jane Witt (1983)
 Sophomore - 137, Sylvia Eder (1983)
 Junior - 157, Holly VanHofwegen (1998)
 Senior - 168, Chris Less (1991)

Yearly Leaders

KILLS

1983	Michelle Schaab	305
1984	Sylvia Eder	251
1985	Sylvia Eder	395
1986	Lisa Meeker	382
1987	Maryellen McCann	494
1988	Bobbi Becker	385
1989	Bobbi Becker	534
1990	Denise Cuttall	497
1991	Kristie Oleen	379
1992	Stacy Makoben	400
1993	Natalie Walters	425
1994	Kate Galer	396
1995	Kate Galer	431
1996	Kate Galer	535
1997	Kerri Eich	501
1998	Alexandra Auker	363
1999	Kim McCaffrey	380
2000	Kim McCaffrey	423

HITTING PERCENTAGE

1983	Sylvia Eder	.202
1984	Kari Warren	.211
1985	Sylvia Eder	.332
1986	Maryellen McCann	.352
1987	Mary Bernhardt	.326
1988	Bobbi Becker	.277
1989	Bobbi Becker	.315
1990	Chris Less	.324
1991	Chris Less	.287
1992	Stacy Makoben	.285
1993	Kara Galer	.283
1994	Kara Galer	.393
1995	Jill Schoeberl	.320
1996	Kate Marovich	.304
1997	Shannon Perry	.258
1998	Jodi DeVries	.325
1999	Jodi DeVries	.313
2000	Jeni Schneckloth	.313

ASSISTS

1984	Mary Bernhardt	652
1985	Mary Bernhardt	987
1986	Mary Bernhardt	1,089
1987	Mary Bernhardt	1,249
1988	Katie Crowley	741
1989	Bobbie Kreple	1,080
1990	Bobbie Kreple	1,297
1991	Katie Crowley	1,021
1992	Kara Galer	868
1993	Kara Galer	1,149
1994	Kara Galer*	1,134
1995	Kara Galer	1,114
1996	Shannon Perry	1,116
1997	Shannon Perry	1,339
1998	Shannon Perry	1,181
1999	Shannon Perry	1,245
2000	Jill Arganbright	1,347

DIGS

1983	Amy Dall	297
1984	Mary Bernhardt	232
1985	Lisa Meeker	300
1986	Mary Bernhardt	316
1987	Bobbi Becker	471
1988	Bobbi Becker	345
1989	Bobbi Becker	374
1990	Bobbie Kreple	311
1991	Kristie Oleen	283
1992	Stacy Makoben	223
1993	Natalie Walters	362
1994	Kate Galer	355
1995	Kate Galer	342
1996	Jill Wolf	359
1997	Kerri Eich	384
1998	Alexandra Auker	293
1999	Alexandra Auker	365
2000	Kim McCaffrey	324

SERVICE ACES

1983	Kari Warren	59
1984	Sylvia Eder	83
1985	Jill Sprague	60
1986	Maryellen McCann	73
1987	Mary Bernhardt	59
	Bobbi Becker	59
1988	Bobbi Becker	66
1989	Bobbi Becker	65
1990	Dawn Meester	86
1991	Dawn Meester	104
1992	Dawn Meester	98
1993	Natalie Walters	42
1994	Michelle Becker	38
	Kate Galer	38
1995	Kate Marovich	55
1996	Kate Marovich	41
1997	Kerri Eich	39
1998	Holly VanHofwegen	30
1999	Alexandra Auker	37
2000	Jill Arganbright	39

TOTAL BLOCKS

1983	Jane Witt	180
1984	Kari Warren	116
1985	Jill Sprague	114
1986	Jill Sprague	102
1987	Denise Cuttall	120
1988	Jill Sprague	102
1989	Chris Less	132
1990	Denise Cuttall	162
1991	Chris Less	168
1992	Tricia Mills	115
1993	Carrie Shurr	119
1994	Carrie Shurr	167
1995	Tina Parkin	137
1996	Holly VanHofwegen	108
1997	Holly VanHofwegen	125
1998	Holly VanHofwegen	157
1999	Holly VanHofwegen	160
2000	Molly O'Brien	166

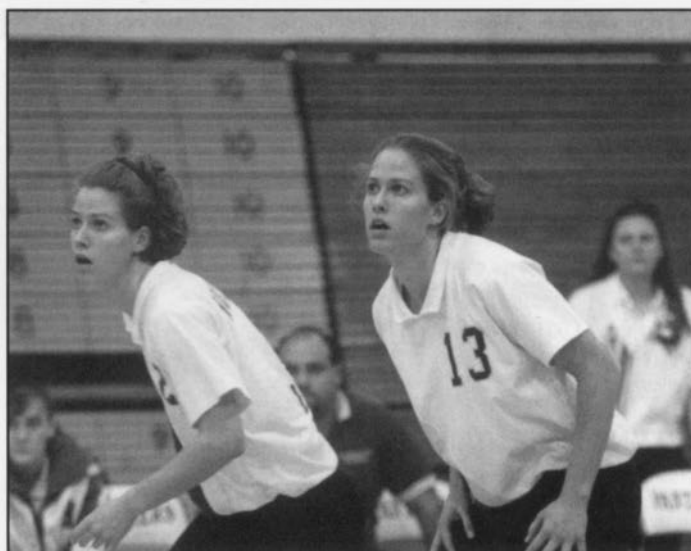
Record Book--Memorable Milestones

UNI's Triple-Double Club

Name, Opponent	Date	Stats
Molly O'Brien vs. Creighton	10/27/00	14 kills, 11 digs, 12 blocks
Shannon Perry vs. Indiana (NCAA)	12/3/99	11 kills, 17 digs, 55 assists
Alex Auker vs. Illinois State	11/20/99	15 kills, 16 digs, 11 blocks
Holly VanHofwegen vs. Illinois State	11/20/99	14 kills, 15 digs, 13 blocks
Holly VanHofwegen vs. Minnesota	9/15/99	15 kills, 11 digs, 12 blocks
Shannon Perry vs. Minnesota	9/15/99	58 assists, 12 digs, 11 blocks
Shannon Perry vs. Oregon State	9/4/99	11 kills, 10 digs, 58 assists
Shannon Perry vs. Texas Christian	9/3/99	10 kills, 11 digs, 38 assists
Shannon Perry vs. Illinois State	11/7/98	15 kills, 21 digs, 56 assists
Kate Marovich vs. Northern Arizona	8/30/96	21 kills, 13 digs, 10 blocks
Kara Galer vs. Drake	11/19/95	10 kills, 12 digs, 54 assists
Kara Galer vs. Indiana State	9/15/94	11 kills, 14 digs, 36 assists
Kara Galer vs. Drake	10/25/94	10 kills, 13 digs, 40 assists
Kara Galer vs. Baylor (NIT)	12/5/93	10 kills, 16 digs, 60 assists
Kara Galer vs. Illinois State	11/6/92	12 kills, 13 digs, 39 assists
Kara Galer vs. Drake	10/13/92	19 kills, 11 digs, 48 assists
Chris Less vs. Wichita State	11/2/91	21 kills, 17 digs, 11 blocks
Mary Bernhardt vs. Northwestern	10/23/87	10 kills, 12 digs, 42 assists
Mary Bernhardt vs. Kansas	9/27/87	13 kills, 20 digs, 35 assists
Mary Bernhardt vs. Western Illinois	9/25/87	12 kills, 11 digs, 72 assists
Mary Bernhardt vs. Washington State	9/11/87	11 kills, 39 digs, 49 assists
Mary Bernhardt vs. Southern Illinois	10/18/85	67 assists, 12 digs, 10 blocks
Jill Sprague vs. Eastern Illinois	9/14/85	18 kills, 12 digs, 18 blocks
Lisa Meeker vs. Eastern Illinois	9/14/85	15 kills, 26 digs, 11 blocks
Sylvia Eder vs. Eastern Illinois	9/14/85	24 kills, 14 digs, 16 blocks

UNI's 20-20 Club (Kills-Digs)

34-25	Maryellen McCann vs. Iowa (11/3/87)
29-30	Maryellen McCann vs. Western Illinois (9/25/87)
29-28	Kate Galer vs. Southwest Missouri (10/30/93)
29-20	Kerri Eich vs. Bradley (10/25/97)
28-21	Natalie Walters vs. Southwest Missouri (10/30/93)
27-28	Natalie Walters vs. Southwest Missouri (11/19/93)
26-21	Kate Galer vs. Drake (11/9/96)
25-23	Lisa Meeker vs. Southwest Missouri (11/1/86)
25-20	Kerri Eich vs. Evansville (9/13/97)
25-20	Kate Galer vs. Drake (11/22/96)
24-23	Kate Galer vs. Baylor (12/5/93)
24-21	Kerri Eich vs. Drake (9/19/97)
23-24	Kerri Eich vs. Drake (10/18/97)
22-23	Kerri Eich vs. Southwest Missouri (10/11/97)
22-23	Maryellen McCann vs. Idaho State (9/11/87)
22-22	Stacy Makoben vs. Virginia (9/4/92)
22-21	Kate Galer vs. Drake (10/11/95)
21-24	Alex Auker vs. Iowa (9/26/00)
21-21	Kerri Eich vs. Creighton (10/17/97)
21-20	Alexandra Auker vs. Drake (10/18/97)
20-24	Kate Galer vs. Sacramento State (12/4/93)
20-20	Bobbi Becker vs. Southwest Missouri (11/22/86)



Kara (left) and Kate Galer

Consecutive Conference Wins

(Regular-season only)

Wins	School	Years	Conference
1. 99	Western Michigan	1982-89	Mid-American
2. 84	Florida	1995-Pres.	Southeastern
3. 67	Texas	1984-91	Southwest
4. 62	Notre Dame	1991-98	Midwestern Collegiate/Big East
5. 61	Nebraska	1988-93	Big Eight
6. 58	Texas-Arlington	1982-91	Southland
7. 57	Northern Iowa	1997-Pres.	Missouri Valley
8. 54	Arkansas State	1990-97	American South/Sun Belt
9. 53	Hawaii	1994-98	Big West/WAC
10. 52	Nebraska	1983-87	Big Eight
11. 50	Penn State	1983-91	Atlantic 10/Big 10

Consecutive Conference Wins

(All Games vs. conference teams)

Wins	School	Years	Conference
1. 106	Western Michigan	1982-89	Mid-American
2. 79	Notre Dame	1991-98	Midwestern Collegiate/Big East
3. 71	Nebraska	1982-87	Big Eight
4. 68	Nebraska	1988-92	Big Eight
5. 67	Texas	1984-91	Southwest
6. 65	Central Florida	1992-98	Trans America
7. 63	Texas Arlington	1985-91	Southland
8. 60	Northern Iowa	1998-Pres.	Missouri Valley
9. 53	Florida	1994-97	Southeastern
T10. 51	Ball State	1992-95	Mid-American
T10. 51	Florida	1998-Pres.	Southeastern



Molly O'Brien



Shannon Perry



Stacy Makoben



Kerri Eich



Natalie Walters



Alex Auker

Year-By-Year Team Stats

Yearly Team Statistics

Year	M/G	K	E	TA	PCT	KPG	DIGS	AST	BS	BA	TB	SA
1983	41/126	1232	701	3834	.138	9.78	1540	**	138	284	280	284
1984	32/109	1266	687	3659	.158	11.61	1405	933	79	341	249.5	262
1985	29/105	1553	456	3772	.291	14.79	1602	1223	93	375	280.5	251
1986	33/113	1637	489	3542	.324	14.49	1755	1300	157	292	303	274
1987	39/138	1937	634	4545	.287	14.04	2462	1577	112	387	305.5	326
1988	33/117	1373	470	3445	.262	11.74	1504	1205	88	419	297.5	268
1989	31/110	1553	506	3723	.281	14.12	1650	1277	65	438	284	252
1990	33/121	1764	646	4428	.253	14.58	1886	1470	72	565	354.5	274
1991	31/113	1450	601	3833	.222	12.83	1441	1207	72	472	308	287
1992	26/92	1175	485	3118	.221	12.77	1137	968	59	428	273	227
1993	30/104	1638	615	4139	.247	15.75	1732	1373	109	396	307	203
1994	30/101	1572	514	3490	.303	15.56	1486	1268	82	451	307.5	180
1995	31/99	1542	531	3535	.286	15.58	1510	1242	87	454	314	254
1996	28/96	1479	564	3613	.253	15.41	1398	1208	50	374	237	202
1997	27/105	1747	834	4597	.199	16.64	1887	1463	87	403	288.5	147
1998	28/98	1569	620	3765	.252	16.01	1468	1336	63	447	286.5	170
1999	31/105	1673	630	4115	.253	15.93	1644	1463	65	550	340	199
2000	34/111	1738	664	4329	.248	15.66	1804	1535	56	547	329.5	183

Year-by-Year Records

Year	Record	Coach	Conf. Record/Finish	Tourn.	Post-Season
1975	13-0-2	Sharon Huddleston			
1976	16-14-1	Sharon Huddleston			
1977	13-15-5	Sharon Huddleston			
1978	15-17-5	Carol Gruber			
1979	28-20-2	Carol Gruber			
1980	30-16-3	Carol Gruber			
1981	40-8-3	Iradge Ahrabi-Fard			
1982	38-19-1	Iradge Ahrabi-Fard	2-2/T3rd		
1983	21-20	Iradge Ahrabi-Fard	4-5/T5th		
1984	16-16	Iradge Ahrabi-Fard	4-5/6th		
1985	23-6	Iradge Ahrabi-Fard	7-2/3rd	Third (Tie)	
1986	30-3	Iradge Ahrabi-Fard	8-1/T1st	First	NCAA (0-1)
1987	34-5	Iradge Ahrabi-Fard	9-0/1st	First	NCAA (0-1)
1988	23-10	Iradge Ahrabi-Fard	8-1/T1st	Third (Tie)	
1989	25-6	Iradge Ahrabi-Fard	8-1/2nd	Second	NIVC (2-1)
1990	28-5	Iradge Ahrabi-Fard	9-0/1st	Second	NIVC (1-3)
1991	23-8	Iradge Ahrabi-Fard	8-1/T1st	First	NCAA (0-1)
1992	17-9	Iradge Ahrabi-Fard	11-5/T3rd	Third (Tie)	
1993	24-6	Iradge Ahrabi-Fard	13-3/3rd	Second	NIVC (4-1)
1994	28-2	Iradge Ahrabi-Fard	19-1/1st	First	NCAA (1-1)
1995	29-2	Iradge Ahrabi-Fard	20-0/1st	First	NCAA (1-1)
1996	20-8	Iradge Ahrabi-Fard	14-4/3rd	Third (Tie)	
1997	18-9	Bobbi Petersen (Interim)	13-5/2nd	Second	
1998	25-3	Iradge Ahrabi-Fard	18-0/1st	First	NCAA (0-1)
1999	30-1	Iradge Ahrabi-Fard	18-0/1st	First	NCAA Sweet 16 (2-1)
2000	29-5	Iradge Ahrabi-Fard	18-0/1st	First	NCAA (1-1)



Iradge Ahrabi-Fard

ALL-TIME COACHING WINS LEADERS

Name	Year(s)	W-L-T	Years as UNI Head Coach
Iradge Ahrabi-Fard	19 years	503-142-4	1981-96, 98-00
Carol Gruber	3 years	73-52-10	1978-80
Sharon Huddleston	3 years	42-29-8	1975-77
Bobbi Petersen	1 year	18-9	1997



Conference & National Awards

MISSOURI VALLEY/GATEWAY CONFERENCE PLAYER OF THE YEAR

- 1999 Shannon Perry
- 1998 Shannon Perry
- 1995 Kara Galer
- 1994 Kara Galer
- 1990 Denise Cuttell
- 1987 Mary Bernhardt

MISSOURI VALLEY/GATEWAY ALL-CONFERENCE

- 2000 Kim McCaffrey (1st Team)
Molly O'Brien (1st Team)
Jill Arganbright (1st Team)
Jeni Schneckloth (1st Team)
Kim Kester (2nd Team)
Alex Auker (2nd Team)
- 1999 Shannon Perry (1st Team)
Holly VanHofwegen (1st Team)
Alexandra Auker (1st Team)
Kim McCaffrey (1st Team)
Jodi DeVries (2nd Team)
Kim Kester (2nd Team)
- 1998 Shannon Perry (1st Team)
Holly VanHofwegen (1st Team)
Alexandra Auker (1st Team)
Kerri Eich (HM)
- 1997 Kerri Eich (1st Team)
Shannon Perry (1st Team)
- 1996 Kate Galer (1st Team)
Kate Marovich (2nd Team)
Jill Wolf (HM)
- 1995 Kara Galer (1st Team)
Kate Galer (1st Team)
Jill Schoeberl (1st Team)
Kate Marovich (2nd Team)
- 1994 Kara Galer (1st Team)
Kate Galer (1st Team)
Carrie Shurr (1st Team)
Jill Schoeberl (2nd Team)
- 1993 Natalie Walters (1st Team)
Kara Galer (2nd Team)
Kate Galer (HM)
Carrie Shurr (HM)
- 1992 Stacy Makoben (1st Team)
Dawn Meester (2nd Team)
Natalie Walters (HM)
Kara Galer (HM)
- 1991 Chris Less (1st Team)
Kristie Oleen (1st Team)
Dawn Meester (HM)
- 1990 Denise Cuttell (1st Team)
Bobbie Kreple (1st Team)
Chris Less (2nd Team)
- 1989 Bobbi Becker (1st Team)
Denise Cuttell (2nd Team)
Kris Schroeder (2nd Team)
- 1988 Bobbi Becker (1st Team)
Jill Sprague (1st Team)
Denise Cuttell (HM)
Kris Schroeder (HM)
- 1987 Bobbi Becker (1st Team)
Mary Bernhardt (1st Team)
Maryellen McCann (1st Team)
Kris Schroeder (HM)
- 1986 Mary Bernhardt (1st Team)
Lisa Meeker (1st Team)

- Maryellen McCann (2nd Team)
- Jill Sprague (2nd Team)
- 1985 Sylvia Eder (1st Team)
Lisa Meeker (2nd Team)
Mary Bernhardt (HM)
Jill Sprague (HM)

MISSOURI VALLEY ALL-NEWCOMER

- 2000 Molly O'Brien
Jill Arganbright
- 1999 Kim Kester
- 1997 Alexandra Auker
- 1996 Shannon Perry
Holly VanHofwegen

MISSOURI VALLEY/GATEWAY FRESHMAN/NEWCOMER OF THE YEAR

- 2000 Molly O'Brien
- 1999 Kim Kester
- 1993 Kate Galer
- 1991 Chris Less
- 1987 Kris Schroeder

MISSOURI VALLEY/GATEWAY ALL-TOURNAMENT

- 2000 Alexandra Auker (MVP)
Molly O'Brien
Jeni Schneckloth
Alexandra Auker (MVP)
Shannon Perry
Holly VanHofwegen
- 1999 Holly VanHofwegen (MVP)
Shannon Perry
Alexandra Auker
- 1997 Kerri Eich
Shannon Perry
- 1996 Kate Galer
- 1995 Kara Galer (MVP)
Kate Galer
Jill Schoeberl
- 1994 Kara Galer (MVP)
Kate Galer
Jill Schoeberl
Carrie Shurr
- 1993 Kara Galer
Kate Galer
Natalie Walters
- 1992 Stacy Makoben
Dawn Meester
- 1991 Chris Less (MVP)
Kristie Oleen
- 1990 Bobbie Kreple
Kristie Oleen

AVCA ALL-AMERICA

- 1999 Shannon Perry (2nd Team)

AVCA ALL-DISTRICT

- 1999 Shannon Perry
Alexandra Auker
- 1995 Kara Galer
Kate Galer
- 1994 Kara Galer (2nd Team)
- 1991 Chris Less (2nd Team)
- 1990 Denise Cuttell (2nd Team)
- 1989 Bobbi Becker (1st Team)
- 1988 Bobbi Becker (1st Team)

EAST-WEST ALL-STAR CLASSIC

- 1987 Mary Bernhardt

MISSOURI VALLEY SCHOLAR- ATHLETE

- 2000 Alexandra Auker (1st Team)
Kim McCaffrey (1st Team)
Kim Kester (2nd Team)
- 1999 Alexandra Auker (1st Team)
Jodi DeVries (1st Team)
Shannon Perry (1st Team)
Holly VanHofwegen (1st Team)
- 1998 Alexandra Auker (1st Team)
Kerri Eich (1st Team)
Shannon Perry (1st Team)
Holly VanHofwegen (1st Team)
Shishonee Weber (1st Team)
- 1997 Kerri Eich (1st Team)
Shannon Perry (1st Team)
Holly VanHofwegen (1st Team)
Shishonee Weber (HM)
Mindy Workman (HM)
- 1996 Kate Galer (1st Team)
Kate Marovich (1st Team)
Jill Wolf (1st Team)
Shishonee Weber (HM)
Mindy Workman (HM)
- 1995 Kara Galer (1st Team)
Kate Galer (1st Team)
Kate Marovich (1st Team)
Michelle Becker (HM)
Tina Parkin (HM)
Jill Wolf (HM)
- 1994 Kara Galer (1st Team)
Kate Galer (1st Team)
Carrie Shurr (1st Team)
Michelle Becker (HM)
Kate Marovich (HM)
- 1993 Kara Galer (1st Team)
- 1992 Tricia Mills (HM)

ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICAN

- 1996 Kate Galer (First Team)
- 1995 Kate Galer (Third Team)
- 1989 Kris Schroeder (Second Team)
- 1987 Mary Bernhardt (First Team)
- 1986 Mary Bernhardt (First Team)
- 1985 Mary Bernhardt (First Team)

AVCA NATIONAL COACH OF THE YEAR

- 1999 Iradge Ahrabi-Fard

DISTRICT COACH OF THE YEAR

- 1999 Iradge Ahrabi-Fard
- 1985 Iradge Ahrabi-Fard

MISSOURI VALLEY/GATEWAY COACH OF THE YEAR

- 2000 Iradge Ahrabi-Fard
- 1999 Iradge Ahrabi-Fard
- 1998 Iradge Ahrabi-Fard
- 1995 Iradge Ahrabi-Fard
- 1994 Iradge Ahrabi-Fard
- 1987 Iradge Ahrabi-Fard
- 1985 Iradge Ahrabi-Fard

Year-by-Year Results

1975 (13-0-2)

Coach: Sharon Huddleston

W - Coe 15-7, 15-0
W - Iowa State 15-9, 9-15, 15-1
W - Iowa 15-8, 10-15, 15-12

Graceland Invitational
T - Drake 3-15, 15-10
T - William Penn 5-15, 17-15
W - Dordt 15-10, 15-6

W - at Iowa 16-14, 15-5
W - at Iowa State 15-10, 15-9

Upper Iowa Invitational
W - Upper Iowa 15-3, 15-1
W - Dubuque 15-12, 15-11
W - St. Ambrose 15-3, 15-2
W - Cornell 15-9, 15-7
W - Wartburg 15-12, 15-2

W - at Coe 15-8, 15-7
W - Upper Iowa 15-8, 15-10

1976 (16-14-1)

Coach: Sharon Huddleston

Wisconsin Invitational
L - St. Cloud State 15-17, 14-15
L - Wisconsin 5-15, 17-15, 2-15
L - Northeastern Illinois 8-15, 9-15
L - DePaul 11-15, 6-15

UNI Invitational
W - Iowa 15-13, 15-11
W - Grand View 15-7, 15-2
W - Iowa State 15-9, 13-15, 15-3
L - Iowa 10-15, 15-6, 5-15

W - at Upper Iowa 15-1, 13-15, 15-5

Graceland Invitational
W - Mid-America Nazarene 15-1, 15-5
L - Missouri 6-15, 5-15
W - Baker 15-3, 15-9
L - Iowa 6-13, 6-10
T - Tarkio 15-5, 8-15

W - Wartburg 15-5, 15-3
W - Upper Iowa 15-5, 15-5
W - at Wartburg 15-7, 15-9
W - South Dakota State (in La Crosse) 12-15, 15-6, 15-13
L - at Wisconsin-La Crosse 12-15, 15-10, 10-15
W - Iowa State 15-5, 15-3, 15-3
W - at Luther 15-13, 15-9

IAIAW Division II Tournament (2nd)
W - Luther 15-7, 15-6
L - Iowa 12-15, 16-14, 8-15
W - Drake 15-3, 14-16, 15-5
W - William Penn 15-8, 9-15, 15-7
W - Iowa State 15-1, 7-15, 15-13

IAIAW Division II Regional
L - Missouri 7-15, 15-10, 3-15
L - Nebraska 8-15, 5-15
L - Mankato State 13-15, 11-15
L - Kansas 14-16, 9-15
L - Minnesota 11-15, 11-15

1977 (13-15-5)

Coach: Sharon Huddleston

W - Luther 15-10, 15-1, 15-9

Kansas State Invitational (3rd)
L - Emporia State 10-15, 4-15
W - Missouri 15-9, 15-3
W - Graceland 15-7, 15-11
W - Missouri Southern 15-11, 15-11
L - Kansas State 8-15, 6-15
L - Emporia State 12-15, 4-15

W - Coe 15-7, 15-8, 15-6

Wisconsin Invitational
L - Illinois-Chicago 7-15, 2-15
T - Nebraska 1-15, 15-9
L - Minnesota 8-15, 11-15
L - Minnesota 8-15, 6-15
T - Missouri 15-7, 11-15
L - Wisconsin 8-15, 6-15
L - Illinois 10-15, 10-15
T - Wisconsin-La Crosse 7-15, 15-8
L - Iowa State 15-6, 8-15, 18-16, 10-15, 10-15

UNI Invitational (3rd)
L - Drake 7-15, 6-15
W - Iowa 15-7, 15-10
L - Loras 8-15, 15-7, 14-16
W - Grand View 15-1, 15-12

W - at Wartburg 15-3, 10-15, 15-7, 15-6

Graceland Invitational (3rd)
T - Briar Cliff 15-8, 9-15
L - Missouri-Kansas City 3-15, 6-15
W - Mid-America Nazarene 15-7, 15-0
T - Wichita State 10-15, 15-7

Iowa Invitational (3rd)
W - St. Ambrose 11-5, 11-6
L - Loras 6-11, 4-11
W - Coe 15-3, 15-1

L - Iowa State 15-12, 3-15, 12-15, 15-7, 5-15

IAIAW Division II Tournament (3rd)
W - Iowa 7-15, 16-14, 15-8
L - Drake 9-15, 2-15
W - Iowa State 14-16, 15-13, 15-1

1978 (15-17-5)

Coach: Carol Gruber

W - at Iowa St. 8-15, 15-10, 3-15, 15-10, 15-13
W - Wartburg 15-7, 15-6, 15-4

Wisconsin Invitational
T - Illinois 3-15, 15-10
T - Wisconsin-La Crosse 8-15, 15-7
T - Missouri 13-15, 15-11
L - Northwestern 2-15, 8-15
L - Western Illinois 6-15, 8-15
L - Wisconsin-La Crosse 6-15, 5-15

W - at Luther 15-6, 15-8, 15-9

Graceland Invitational
L - Dordt 12-14, 10-13
W - Stephens 15-0, 15-2
T - Kansas 10-12, 15-8
T - Augsburg 15-4, 8-10

W - Iowa State 18-16, 16-14, 15-12

Iowa Invitational
W - Loras 15-8, 15-12
W - Northeast Missouri 15-11, 17-15
L - Iowa 13-15, 15-12, 0-15

W - Iowa 15-8, 15-9, 5-15, 15-6

Drake Invitational
L - Central Missouri 8-9, 11-12
L - Drake 7-14, 7-14
L - Iowa State 12-15, 7-15
W - Western Michigan 15-6, 15-5

L - at Iowa 11-15, 15-9, 8-15, 9-15

Winona State Invitational (3-4)

IAIAW Division II Tournament (2nd)
W - Drake 12-15, 17-15, 15-11, 15-12
W - Iowa State 15-10, 15-12, 13-15, 15-7
L - Iowa 15-5, 10-15, 11-15, 5-15

IAIAW Division II Regional
L - Central Missouri 8-15, 11-15
L - Nebraska-Omaha 4-15, 15-9, 7-15
L - Missouri 8-15, 15-13, 10-15
W - Kansas State 3-15, 15-12, 15-8
L - Minnesota 6-15, 7-15

1979 (28-20-2)

Coach: Carol Gruber

W - Luther 15-3, 15-6, 15-5
W - William Penn 13-15, 15-13, 15-4
L - at Loras 3-15, 15-11, 13-15
W - Iowa State 11-15, 15-3, 14-16, 15-11, 15-12

Wisconsin Invitational
L - Wisconsin-La Crosse 11-15, 11-15
L - Iowa 13-15, 9-15
L - Wisconsin 2-15, 14-16
W - Missouri 15-9, 15-8
L - Wisconsin 0-15, 6-15
W - Wisconsin-Stevens Point 6-15, 15-10, 15-11

W - at Drake 15-9, 8-15, 15-12, 13-15, 15-10

Hawkeye Invitational
W - Drake 15-3, 15-7
T - William Penn 15-10, 13-15
L - Lewis 11-15, 7-15
L - Wisconsin 7-15, 8-15

W - at Iowa 11-15, 15-13, 15-12, 15-6

Minnesota Invitational
L - Minnesota 10-15, 15-13, 8-15
W - Missouri 15-9, 15-4
W - Drake 10-15, 15-12, 15-7
L - Minnesota 3-15, 8-15
W - Northern Michigan 15-12, 7-15, 15-8
L - Marquette 3-15, 15-7, 13-15

Missouri Invitational
L - Memphis State 9-15, 10-15
T - Missouri-Kansas City 12-15, 15-12
L - Kansas State 11-15, 4-15
L - Jefferson 15-8, 10-15, 13-15

L - at Iowa State 15-7, 10-15, 8-15, 10-15
W - Drake 15-9, 15-13, 9-15, 12-15, 15-9

Winona State Invitational (1st)
W - Southwest State 15-6, 15-8
W - St. Benedict 15-3, 15-8
W - St. Mary's 15-11, 15-8
W - Winona State 15-8, 15-0
W - St. Olaf 15-11, 15-0
W - Winona State 15-5, 15-11

IAIAW Division II Tournament (1st)
W - William Penn 15-7, 15-7

W - St. Ambrose 15-7, 15-7
W - William Penn 15-11, 15-4, 15-11
W - Loras 15-11, 15-8, 15-6

Minnesota Invitational
L - Minnesota 6-15, 8-15
W - Wayne State 15-13, 15-8
W - North Dakota 15-12, 15-2
L - Iowa 11-15, 11-15
W - North Dakota State 15-8, 15-12
L - Iowa State 10-15, 1-15

IAIAW Division II Regional
L - Minnesota-Duluth 15-7, 7-15, 13-15
W - Northwest Missouri 15-12, 15-13
W - Kearney State 15-7, 15-5
W - St. Mary's 15-10, 13-15, 15-11
L - Missouri Western 13-15, 14-16
L - Central Missouri 7-15, 3-15

1980 (30-15-3)

Coach: Carol Gruber

L - at Iowa St. 16-14, 11-15, 12-15, 15-9, 7-15

Kansas State Invitational
W - Missouri 15-12, 15-6
W - Wichita State 15-3, 15-9
W - Wayne State 15-6, 15-13
W - Missouri Western 15-5, 15-4
L - Kansas 9-15, 15-7, 4-15

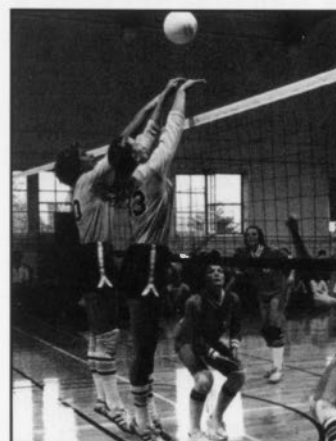
W - Iowa 15-13, 10-15, 15-11, 16-14
W - Clarke 15-1, 15-4, 15-3
W - Loras 15-8, 15-9, 15-10

North Dakota Invitational
W - North Dakota 15-9, 15-8
W - Regina 15-5, 15-4
W - Augustana (SD) 15-7, 15-10
L - Winnipeg 13-15, 15-8, 12-15
W - Regina 15-9, 15-5, 15-3
L - Winnipeg 6-15, 11-15, 7-15

L - at Drake 15-13, 8-15, 15-4, 10-15, 12-15

Hawkeye Invitational
T - Drake 9-15, 15-9
T - Western Illinois 15-12, 14-16
T - St. Cloud State 11-15, 16-14

L - Drake 3-15, 11-15, 15-9, 7-15
W - St. Ambrose 15-3, 15-10, 15-4
W - Loras 15-10, 15-5, 13-15, 15-11



UNI blocks vs. Wartburg in a 1978 match

Year-by-Year Scores

Mankato State Invitational
W - Gustavus-Adolphus 15-7, 15-9
L - Wisconsin-La Crosse 12-15, 9-15
W - Wisconsin-Eau Claire 15-7, 12-15, 15-8
W - Mankato State 15-8, 15-7
W - Wisconsin-La Crosse 15-12, 15-12, 15-12

Northwest Missouri State Invitational
L - William Woods 11-15, 14-16
W - Doane 10-15, 15-6, 16-14, 15-3
W - Northwest Missouri 15-11, 15-17, 13-15, 19-17, 15-8

IAIAW State Tournament (1st)
W - Northwestern 15-4, 15-3
W - Morningside 15-3, 15-1
W - St. Ambrose 15-8, 15-11
W - Loras 16-14, 15-9, 15-11
W - Marycrest 15-6, 10-15, 10-15, 15-7, 15-9

L - Iowa State 15-12, 6-15, 13-15, 6-15

Minnesota Invitational
W - Marquette 15-4, 15-11
L - Minnesota 6-15, 6-15
W - North Dakota 15-11, 15-2
L - Iowa 9-15, 15-10, 14-16

AIWA Division II Regional Tournament
W - St. Mary's of the Plains 15-8, 15-7
W - South Dakota 13-15, 15-9, 15-13
W - Nebraska-Omaha 15-13, 15-10
L - Minnesota-Duluth 15-11, 16-18, 6-15
L - Central Missouri 8-15, 15-5, 7-15
W - Northwest Missouri 15-1, 5-15, 15-11
L - Minnesota-Duluth 10-15, 13-15, 8-15
L - Bethel 9-15, 15-17, 13-15

1981 (40-8-3) Coach: Iradge Ahrabi-Fard

L - Iowa State 13-15, 15-6, 15-6, 9-15, 5-15

Kansas State Invitational
W - Missouri-Kansas City 15-8, 15-5, 15-8
W - Missouri 15-10, 15-10
W - Emporia State 15-3, 15-8
T - Kansas State 6-15, 15-13
W - Iowa 11-15, 15-4, 15-11
L - Drake 10-15, 10-15

W - at Iowa 15-12, 7-15, 13-15, 16-14, 15-11

St. Cloud State Invitational (2nd)
T - St. Catherine 15-7, 15-17
W - Bemidji State 15-5, 15-7
W - St. Cloud State 15-1, 15-9
W - South Dakota State 15-2, 15-1
W - St. Cloud State 15-12, 15-4
L - Minnesota-Duluth 14-16, 11-15, 12-15

W - Marycrest 15-4, 15-11, 12-15, 15-4

UNI Invitational (1st)
W - St. Cloud State 15-0, 15-6
W - Loras 15-7, 15-0
W - Minnesota-Duluth 6-15, 15-12, 15-10
W - Nebraska-Omaha 15-7, 5-15, 16-14, 15-9

Iowa Invitational
T - Lewis 13-15, 15-6
W - Iowa State 15-13, 15-6
W - North Dakota State 15-5, 15-13
L - Iowa 15-10, 8-15, 10-15
W - Marycrest 15-3, 15-10, 15-5

Central Missouri State Invitational (1st)
W - Missouri Southern 12-15, 15-4, 15-6

W - Central Missouri 15-8, 15-11
W - Southeast Missouri 15-7, 15-9
W - Johnson County C.C. 15-6, 15-5
W - College of St. Mary 15-7, 15-9
W - Kansas 15-3, 15-4

W - at Loras 15-3, 15-4, 15-3
W - at Drake 15-6, 15-3, 9-15, 15-13

Northern Illinois Invitational (2nd)
W - Minnesota-Duluth 15-5, 15-9
L - Illinois-Chicago 12-15, 9-15
W - Western Illinois 15-10, 15-6
L - Miami (OH) 13-15, 3-15
W - Northern Illinois 15-12, 15-8

IAIAW State Championships (Des Moines)
W - Loras 15-4, 15-0
W - William Penn 15-4, 15-4
W - Northwestern 15-2, 15-8
W - Grand View 15-1, 15-3, 15-9
W - St. Ambrose 15-7, 15-3, 15-6

W - Drake 15-5, 14-16, 12-15, 15-10, 15-13
W - St. Ambrose 15-0, 15-10, 7-15, 15-13
W - Iowa 15-3, 15-11, 15-12

AIWA Region 6 Championships (Maryville, MO)
W - Minnesota-Duluth 10-15, 15-3, 15-4
W - St. Ambrose 15-7, 15-6
L - North Dakota State 7-15, 12-15
W - St. Cloud State 15-13, 15-5
L - Central Missouri 14-16, 8-15, 10-15
W - Minnesota-Duluth 15-10, 15-8, 17-15

1982 (38-19-1, 2-2 Gateway--tie 3rd) Coach: Iradge Ahrabi-Fard

L - at Illinois State 1-15, 15-17, 15-9

Eastern Illinois Quadrangular
W - Northern Illinois 15-12, 13-15, 15-9
L - Eastern Illinois 11-15, 10-15
W - Bradley 15-6, 15-9
L - E. Illinois 15-6, 16-18, 15-9, 13-15, 9-15

W - Iowa State 15-6, 15-8, 15-11

Kansas State Invitational (3rd)
W - Northwest Missouri 15-4, 15-1
W - Oral Roberts 15-6, 12-15, 16-14
W - McPherson 15-2, 15-7
W - North Dakota State 15-2, 15-2
L - Missouri 8-15, 8-15

W - at Iowa 15-1, 15-6, 15-8

St. Cloud State Invitational (1st)
W - St. Catherine 15-12, 15-9
W - Mankato State 15-2, 15-0
T - Minnesota-Duluth 12-15, 15-10
W - South Dakota 15-6, 15-10
W - St. Cloud State 16-14, 15-9
W - North Dakota 15-7, 8-15, 15-7, 15-8

UNI Invitational (1st)
W - Northeast Missouri 15-6, 15-1
W - South Dakota 15-11, 15-8
W - Northwest Missouri 15-6, 15-1
W - Minnesota-Duluth 15-12, 15-7
W - Northwest Missouri 15-13, 15-6

Northwest Missouri State Invitational (1st)
W - South Dakota 15-8, 15-11
W - Northwest Missouri 15-5, 5-15, 5-10
W - Pittsburg State 15-8, 15-11
W - Pittsburg State 15-4, 15-6
W - Northwest Missouri 15-13, 15-6

L - at Iowa St. 15-17, 7-15, 15-13, 15-12, 12-15

Central Missouri State Invitational (2nd)
W - Florissant Valley 15-4, 15-5
W - Kansas 15-1, 15-3
W - Missouri-Kansas City 15-1, 15-3
W - Central Missouri 15-3, 7-15, 15-7
L - Nebraska-Omaha 15-10, 8-15, 7-15

W - St. Ambrose 15-6, 15-5, 15-8
W - at Loras 15-3, 15-5, 15-10

South Dakota Invitational (1st)
W - Augustana (SD) 15-3, 15-5
W - Morningside 15-7, 15-6
W - South Dakota 15-13, 15-6
W - St. Cloud State 15-13, 15-10

L - Drake 11-15, 3-15, 14-16

Northern Illinois Invitational (4th)
L - Northern Illinois 2-15, 15-6, 11-15, 4-15
L - Eastern Michigan 15-13, 11-15, 15-13, 13-15, 10-15
W - Illinois-Chicago 15-8, 12-15, 12-15, 15-6, 15-12
L - Ball State 15-13, 13-15, 10-15, 15-9, 10-15

W - Loras 15-6, 15-6, 15-5
L - Drake 11-15, 15-3, 14-16, 17-19

Nebraska-Omaha Invitational
W - Lewis 15-10, 15-10
W - South Dakota 15-8, 15-12
W - Kansas 17-15, 15-13
L - Nebraska-Omaha 15-5, 13-15, 12-15
W - Bradley 15-7, 15-7
L - Missouri-St. Louis 12-15, 11-15
L - Central Missouri 14-16, 15-2, 14-16

W* - Iowa 15-5, 15-8, 15-10

Gateway Conference Tournament (T5th)
L - Southern Illinois 7-15, 8-15, 10-15
W* - Bradley 15-13, 11-15, 6-15, 15-3, 15-6
W* - Indiana State 11-15, 15-13, 15-8, 15-9
L - E. Illinois 15-7, 12-15, 10-15, 15-3, 3-15
*Wins later forfeited for using an ineligible player

1983 (21-20, 4-5 Gateway--tie 5th) Coach: Iradge Ahrabi-Fard

Panther Invitational
W - Augustana (SD) 15-8, 15-13
L - College of St. Mary 8-15, 3-15
W - Northeast Missouri 15-9, 15-10, 15-5

W - College of St. Mary's 15-8, 15-13, 15-17, 15-2

L - at Iowa State 8-15, 14-16, 15-10, 15-8, 12-15

Hawkeye Invitational
L - Eastern Illinois 1-15, 10-15, 3-15
L - Lewis 6-15, 10-15, 14-16
L - Iowa 6-15, 15-10, 4-15, 1-15
L - Iowa 12-15, 5-15, 10-15

L - Iowa 2-15, 5-15, 14-16

St. Cloud State Invitational
L - Nebraska-Omaha 7-15, 13-15
W - Bemidji State 15-8, 15-9
L - St. Cloud State 15-8, 13-15, 9-15
L - North Dakota 8-15, 6-15
W - South Dakota 15-12, 15-6
W - Bemidji State 15-1, 15-5

W - at Loras 15-4, 11-15, 16-14, 15-9
W - at Drake 15-12, 15-13, 6-15, 8-15, 15-12

UNI Invitational
W - South Dakota 15-5, 15-10
W - St. Cloud State 14-16, 15-1, 15-12
L - Western Illinois 15-6, 15-17, 10-15
L - Wisconsin 4-15, 5-15

W - Central 15-3, 15-12, 15-3
W - Winona State 15-7, 15-6, 15-11
L - Illinois State* 7-15, 1-15, 15-13, 5-15
W - Indiana State* 8-15, 17-15, 15-8, 15-9
L - Drake* 13-15, 5-15, 13-15
L - at Iowa State 7-15, 11-15, 12-15
L - at Western Illinois* 3-15, 6-15, 15-12, 10-15
W - at Bradley* 15-9, 16-14, 14-16, 11-15, 15-8
W - Loras 15-8, 15-12, 15-11

South Dakota Invitational
W - North Dakota 15-2, 15-6, 15-7
W - College of St. Mary 15-7, 15-7, 15-6
W - Augustana 2-15, 10-15, 15-9, 16-14, 15-9
W - at South Dakota 15-13, 15-3, 8-15, 6-15, 15-12

W - at Winona State 4-15, 15-6, 15-2, 15-11
L - Eastern Illinois* 15-7, 8-15, 10-15, 9-15
L - Southern Illinois* 10-15, 11-15, 12-15
L - Iowa 13-15, 7-15, 1-15
L - at Southwest Missouri* 2-15, 9-15, 5-15
W - at Wichita State* 15-9, 9-15, 15-9, 17-15



The 1984 team went 16-16 on the season. Since then, UNI has reeled off 16 consecutive winning seasons.

Year-by-Year Scores

1984 (16-16, 4-5 Gateway--tie 6th)

Coach: Irdage Ahrabi-Fard

L - Iowa State 11-15, 6-15, 16-14, 8-15

Wisconsin-Milwaukee Invitational

W - vs. Indiana State 16-14, 6-15, 16-14

L - vs. Bradley 14-16, 15-8, 12-15

W - vs. Valparaiso 15-13, 15-13

L - at UW-Milwaukee 1-15, 11-15

L - vs. Iowa (Cedar Rapids) 10-15, 6-15, 13-15

Hawkeye Invitational

L - at Iowa 10-15, 14-16, 4-15

L - vs. Western Illinois 15-9, 5-15, 15-6, 11-15, 14-16

W - vs. Bradley 8-15, 16-18, 15-10, 15-9, 16-14

L - vs. Bradley 6-15, 8-15, 8-15

L - at Drake 5-15, 14-16, 1-15

UNI Invitational

W - Western Illinois 19-17, 15-8, 15-13

W - St. Cloud State 15-10, 15-6

L - UW-Milwaukee 13-15, 11-15

L - Western Illinois 3-15, 15-10, 14-16, 7-15

W - at Loras 15-6, 15-6, 15-4

W - at Winona State 15-5, 15-1, 15-9

L - Southwest Missouri* 10-15, 4-15, 7-15

W - Wichita State* 8-15, 15-7, 15-3, 15-10

W - Drake* 15-7, 15-6, 4-15, 6-15, 15-11

L - at Illinois State* 7-15, 3-15, 10-15

W - at Indiana State* 15-6, 15-9, 15-9

W - Loras 15-2, 16-14, 15-5

L - at Iowa State 7-15, 5-15, 8-15

L - Western Illinois* 11-15, 15-12, 1-15, 15-7, 13-15

L - Bradley* 11-15, 8-15, 7-15

Illinois-Chicago Quadrangular

W - at Illinois-Chicago 15-1, 12-15, 15-10, 15-11

W - vs. Cleveland State 14-16, 15-12, 6-15, 15-12, 16-14

W - vs. Butler 15-12, 15-9, 17-15

W - Iowa 15-11, 15-7, 11-15, 15-11

W - at Eastern Illinois* 10-15, 15-10, 15-9, 10-15, 15-11

L - at Southern Illinois* 5-15, 10-15, 10-15

W - Winona State 15-1, 15-3, 15-4

W - Drake 15-13, 15-9, 15-8

W - at Mankato State 11-15, 15-12, 17-15, 15-2

L - at Arizona State 15-17, 6-15, 8-15

W - vs. Northern Arizona (Tempe, AZ) 15-13, 15-11, 14-16, 15-10

W - at Iowa State 15-9, 15-13, 15-9

Loyola Invitational (1st)

W - at Loyola (IL) 15-4, 15-1, 15-6

W - vs. Illinois-Chicago 13-15, 15-5, 15-11, 15-4

W - vs. Bradley 15-5, 15-9, 15-13

L - vs. Western Illinois 12-15, 15-4, 2-15, 10-15

Illinois-Chicago Invitational (1st)

W - vs. Rice 15-6, 15-5, 15-6

W - vs. Drake 15-2, 15-9, 15-10

W - at Illinois-Chicago 15-11, 15-7, 7-15, 15-15

L - Southern Illinois* 11-15, 16-14, 16-14, 5-15, 13-15

W - Eastern Illinois* 15-9, 15-4, 15-4

W - at Drake* 15-10, 15-5, 15-7

W - Mankato State 15-7, 15-10, 15-2

W - at Wichita State* 15-10, 15-4, 15-7

L - at Southwest Missouri* 15-10, 15-9, 10-15, 7-15, 15-17

W - Indiana State* 9-15, 15-7, 16-14, 15-7

W - Illinois State* 15-13, 15-5, 9-15, 15-8

W - Iowa 15-11, 10-15, 15-12, 15-11

W - at Bradley* 16-14, 11-15, 15-5, 15-12

W - at Western Illinois* 15-13, 16-14, 4-15, 15-13

Gateway Conference Tournament, Carbondale, IL

L - at Southern Illinois 11-15, 12-15, 4-15

L - at Drake 5-15, 14-16, 1-15

UNI Invitational (1st)

W - Northwest Missouri 15-4, 15-1, 15-4

W - Western Illinois 15-5, 15-3, 9-15, 15-1

W - St. Louis 15-4, 15-2, 15-0

Panther Classic (1st)

W - Drake 15-3, 15-1, 15-6

W - Valparaiso 15-1, 15-7, 15-7

W - DePaul 15-2, 15-8, 15-3

W - Central 15-1, 15-8, 15-10

W - Cleveland State 15-6, 15-10, 15-6

W - Illinois-Chicago 15-8, 15-1, 15-2

W - Loras 15-0, 15-4, 15-2

W - at Rice 15-10, 15-6, 15-13

L - vs. Lamar (in Houston) 15-3, 12-15, 15-8, 11-15, 13-15

W - at Houston 15-8, 15-2, 15-7

W - at Drake 15-2, 15-3, 15-2

UNI Invitational (1st)

W - Northwest Missouri 15-4, 15-1, 15-4

W - Western Illinois 15-5, 15-3, 9-15, 15-1

W - St. Louis 15-4, 15-2, 15-0

W - at Winona State 15-7, 15-9, 15-6

W - at Loras 15-2, 15-3, 15-3

Sycamore Classic (1st)

W - vs. Xavier 15-5, 15-7, 15-10

W - at Indiana State 15-1, 15-12, 15-3

W - vs. Valparaiso 15-11, 15-5, 15-5

W - Drake* 15-1, 15-0, 15-4

L - at So. Illinois* 6-15, 15-7, 11-15, 13-15

W - at Eastern Illinois* 15-1, 15-7, 15-4

W - Wichita State* 10-15, 15-10, 15-8, 15-5

W - Southwest Missouri* 15-13, 15-11, 7-15, 12-15, 16-14

W - Iowa State 15-12, 15-9, 11-15, 15-13

W - at Indiana State* 15-4, 15-3, 15-1

W - at Illinois State* 15-13, 15-11, 6-15, 15-10

W - at Iowa 15-13, 16-14, 4-15, 15-9

W - Bradley* 15-5, 15-9, 15-13

W - Western Illinois* 15-3, 15-4, 15-10

Gateway Conference Tournament, Cedar Falls (1st)

W - Southern Illinois 15-13, 9-15, 15-7, 15-4

W - Southwest Missouri 11-15, 15-9, 11-15, 15-4, 15-9

NCAA Tournament

L - at Illinois 15-9, 1-15, 6-15, 10-15



UNI's 1986 team was the first to reach the NCAA Tournament

1987 (34-5, 9-0 Gateway--1st)

Coach: Irdage Ahrabi-Fard

Panther Classic (1st)

W - Cleveland State 15-4, 15-2, 15-2

W - Valparaiso 15-10, 15-3, 15-6

W - DePaul 15-4, 15-5, 15-4

W - Loras 15-1, 15-4, 15-3

Coors Invitational, Boulder, CO (1st)

L - vs. Idaho State 15-12, 7-15, 7-15, 15-17

W - vs. Washington State 16-14, 15-12, 11-15, 11-15, 15-13

W - vs. Louisville 15-2, 15-10, 15-4

W - at Colorado 15-1, 15-10, 15-4

W - vs. Washington St. 15-11, 15-10, 11-15, 15-12

W - Drake 15-7, 15-8, 15-6

Bradley Invitational (1st)

W - at Bradley 4-15, 15-2, 15-4, 15-7

W - vs. Illinois-Chicago 15-10, 10-15, 15-13, 15-9

W - vs. Butler 15-7, 15-6, 15-8

W - St. Ambrose 15-9, 15-6, 15-9

W - Western Illinois 15-17, 11-15, 15-3, 15-7, 15-6

W - Missouri 15-7, 15-8, 15-8

W - Kansas 11-15, 15-4, 15-1, 13-15, 15-3

L - Minnesota 15-8, 1-15, 12-15, 15-8, 11-15

W - at Duke 15-4, 15-10, 15-8

W - at Virginia Commonwealth 15-4, 15-0, 15-5

W - at Memphis State 15-9, 15-5, 15-8

W - Winona State 15-2, 15-4, 15-3

W - at Western Illinois* 15-11, 15-5, 15-9

W - at Bradley* 15-5, 15-4, 15-5

W - at Drake* 15-6, 15-6, 12-15, 15-13

Asics Tiger Classic, Evanston, IL (3rd)

L - at Northwestern 8-15, 13-15, 15-8, 15-10, 7-15

W - vs. Illinois-Chicago 14-16, 15-5, 15-8, 15-9

W - Loyola (IL) 15-10, 15-0, 14-16, 15-3

W - Eastern Illinois* 15-5, 15-3, 15-8

W - Southern Illinois* 15-6, 15-5, 15-7

W - Iowa 15-6, 11-15, 15-6, 15-12

W - at Southwest Missouri* 9-15, 16-14, 15-10, 15-12

W - at Wichita State* 15-2, 15-2, 15-11

W - Illinois State* 15-3, 15-4, 15-6

W - Indiana State* 15-5, 15-2, 15-2

L - at Iowa State 5-15, 15-1, 15-17, 15-7, 7-15

Gateway Conference Tournament, Cedar Falls (1st)

W - Southern Illinois 15-12, 15-8, 15-10

W - Southwest Missouri 15-12, 15-9, 15-5

NCAA Tournament

L - at Nebraska 9-15, 1-15, 6-15

1988 (23-10, 8-1 Gateway--tie 1st)

Coach: Irdage Ahrabi-Fard

All-Iowa Classic, Iowa City (3rd)

L - at Iowa 4-15, 1-15, 8-15

L - vs. Iowa State 15-12, 13-15, 15-17, 6-15

W - vs. Drake 15-10, 15-11, 11-15, 15-10

Jayhawk Classic (1st)

W - vs. George Washington 15-5, 15-7, 16-18, 15-4

W - at Kansas 15-5, 11-15, 15-11, 15-4

W - vs. Wichita State 15-8, 15-5, 7-15, 15-6

W - vs. Auburn 15-12, 2-15, 13-15, 15-13, 15-9

W - Illinois-Chicago 8-15, 13-15, 15-5, 15-11, 15-5

L - Iowa 15-13, 3-15, 14-16, 10-15

L - at Iowa 4-15, 8-15, 14-16

Georgetown Invitational (3rd)

L - at Georgetown 6-15, 7-15, 15-13, 6-15

L - vs. Loyola Marymount 7-15, 15-11, 11-15, 15-12, 15-17

W - vs. George Washington 15-1, 15-3, 15-5

W - St. Ambrose 15-6, 15-3, 15-1

Tulane Invitational (1st)

W - at Tulane 15-13, 10-15, 15-7, 15-8

W - vs. Alabama-Birmingham 15-0, 15-7, 15-9

W - vs. Nicholls State 15-4, 15-3, 15-6

L - at Minnesota 12-15, 5-15, 3-15

W - Kansas 15-4, 15-10, 15-7

L - Ball State 15-5, 12-15, 13-15, 15-12, 5-15

W - Wisconsin-Green Bay 15-3, 15-6, 15-7

W - Drake* 16-14, 15-9, 15-10

L - at Illinois State* 7-15, 14-16, 4-15

W - at Indiana State* 15-9, 15-4, 15-5

W - SW Missouri State* 5-15, 15-8, 15-7, 15-5

W - Wichita State* 15-9, 16-14, 15-10

W - Missouri-Kansas City 15-2, 15-3, 15-7

W - at Eastern Illinois* 15-3, 15-9, 15-9

W - at Southern Illinois* 16-14, 15-13, 15-9

W - Iowa State 15-9, 4-15, 15-6, 15-4

W - Western Illinois* 16-14, 15-5, 15-6

W - Bradley* 15-2, 15-5, 15-5

Gateway Conference Tournament, Normal, IL (T3rd)

L - vs. Southwest Missouri 1-15, 13-15, 4-15

1989 (25-6, 8-1 Gateway--2nd)

Coach: Irdage Ahrabi-Fard

George Washington Labor Day Festival (2nd)

L - vs. Bowling Green 9-15, 10-15, 9-15

W - at George Washington 15-4, 15-9, 15-3

W - vs. Duke 15-9, 9-15, 15-6, 17-15

Year-by-Year Scores

All-Iowa Classic, Iowa City (3rd)
L - at Iowa 10-15, 16-14, 13-15, 10-15
W - vs. Drake 15-2, 15-11, 15-11

W - Missouri 15-4, 15-4, 15-11
W - Central Michigan 15-7, 15-12, 15-5
W - St. Ambrose 15-3, 15-1, 15-7
W - Missouri-Kansas City 15-4, 15-4, 15-7

Saint Louis Univ. Invitational (1st)
W - vs. Tulsa 15-1, 15-0, 15-7
W - at Saint Louis 15-10, 15-4, 17-15
W - vs. Louisville 15-4, 15-1, 15-8
W - vs. Murray State 15-4, 15-2, 15-12

L - Minnesota 15-9, 11-15, 9-15, 14-16
W - at Wichita State* 15-3, 15-10, 15-10
W - at Southwest Missouri* 6-15, 15-8, 15-2, 11-15, 15-5
W - Southern Illinois* 15-5, 15-10, 15-2
W - Eastern Illinois* 15-3, 15-9, 15-9
W - at Bradley* 15-2, 16-14, 15-5
W - at Western Illinois* 15-13, 15-8, 15-1
W - at Iowa State 15-5, 9-15, 15-5, 15-4
W - at Drake* 15-5, 15-1, 15-6
W - Iowa 15-6, 15-4, 13-15, 15-7
W - Indiana State* 15-7, 15-7, 15-6
L - Illinois State* 8-15, 13-15, 17-15, 15-2, 4-15

Gateway Conference Tournament, Normal, IL (2nd)
W - vs. Southwest Missouri 15-13, 3-15, 11-15, 15-11, 15-9
L - at Illinois State 15-10, 3-15, 13-15, 7-15

Women's Invitational Championship, Birmingham, AL
W - vs. Fairleigh-Dickinson 14-16, 15-1, 15-7, 15-5
W - vs. Gonzaga 15-11, 9-15, 15-12, 15-10
L - vs. William/Mary 6-15, 11-15, 15-7, 15-4, 16-18

1990 (28-5, 9-0 Gateway--1st)
Coach: Iradge Ahrabi-Fard

UNI Invitational (1st)
W - Montana State 15-4, 15-10, 15-6
W - Illinois-Chicago 16-14, 15-6, 15-6
W - Northwestern 15-11, 15-1, 15-6

All-Iowa Classic, Ames (1st)
W - vs. Drake 15-3, 15-9, 15-8
W - at Iowa State 12-15, 14-16, 15-4, 15-6, 15-5

UC-Irvine Anteater Invitational (1st)
W - vs. U.S. International 15-5, 15-3, 15-5
W - vs. San Diego 15-9, 15-10, 15-7
W - at Cal-Irvine 7-15, 15-8, 15-6, 10-15, 15-4

W - St. Ambrose 15-3, 13-15, 15-3, 15-0
W - St. Louis 15-11, 15-1, 15-3
W - Wisconsin-Milwaukee 15-2, 15-8, 15-7
W - Winona State 15-2, 14-16, 15-9, 15-1
W - at DePaul 15-13, 15-9, 15-2
W - at Loyola (IL) 15-8, 12-15, 15-1, 15-11
L - vs. Memphis (in Springfield, IL) 15-11, 15-5, 14-16, 5-15, 12-15
W - at Minnesota 15-10, 15-6, 15-12
W - Bradley* 15-8, 15-12, 15-2
W - Western Illinois* 15-6, 15-7, 10-15, 15-7
W - Drake* 15-11, 15-2, 15-10
W - Iowa State 11-15, 15-6, 15-6, 15-4
W - at Indiana State* 15-13, 15-2, 15-5
W - at Illinois State* 10-15, 15-6, 15-7, 13-15, 16-14
W - Wichita State* 12-15, 15-10, 15-8, 15-11
W - SW Missouri* 5-15, 15-2, 15-9, 15-11
W - at Iowa 6-15, 13-15, 15-7, 15-3, 15-10
W - at Southern Illinois* 15-10, 15-6, 16-14
W - at Eastern Illinois* 15-4, 15-8, 15-7

Gateway Conference Tournament, Cedar Falls (2nd)
W - Illinois State 16-14, 15-4, 15-5
L - SW Missouri 13-15, 15-11, 13-15, 10-15

Women's Invitational Championship, Knoxville, TN
W - vs. Akron 15-10, 15-10, 15-8
L - vs. Boise St. 15-10, 15-7, 14-16, 10-15, 12-15
L - vs. Arkansas State 15-8, 7-15, 11-15, 7-15
L - vs. Georgia 15-7, 8-15, 15-17, 12-15

1991 (23-8, 8-1 Gateway--tie 1st)
Coach: Iradge Ahrabi-Fard

Boise State Labor Day Classic (2nd)
W - vs. Utah 15-6, 16-17, 17-16, 15-8
L - vs. Brigham Young 4-15, 13-15, 5-15
W - at Boise State W 15-11, 13-15, 15-8, 15-5
W - vs. Idaho State W 16-14, 15-3, 15-11

W - Kansas State 15-1, 15-5, 15-8

All-Iowa Classic, Des Moines (3rd)
L - vs. Iowa State 15-9, 11-15, 15-10, 3-15, 13-15
W - at Drake 15-8, 15-3, 13-15, 15-4

Huskie Invitational (2nd)
W - vs. Central Michigan 15-11, 15-3, 15-8
W - vs. Dayton 15-1, 10-15, 15-7, 15-7
L - at Northern Illinois 15-7, 10-15, 14-16, 11-15

Northwestern/Sheraton Classic (4th)
L - vs. Louisiana State 4-15, 10-15, 8-15
L - at Northwestern 6-15, 13-15, 15-6, 15-12, 12-15

Wisconsin-Milwaukee Invitational (1st)
W - vs. Valparaiso 15-9, 15-8, 12-15, 15-12
W - at Wisconsin-Milwaukee 15-12, 15-3, 15-11

W - at Drake* 15-10, 16-14, 15-4
L - at Iowa St. 15-8, 11-15, 15-8, 5-15, 12-15
W - Minnesota 15-9, 9-15, 15-6, 15-4
W - Missouri 15-4, 15-11, 15-10
W - Iowa 15-0, 15-5, 15-5
W - Illinois State* 15-12, 15-8, 13-15, 9-15, 15-9
W - Indiana State* 15-4, 15-9, 15-3
L - at Southwest Missouri* 15-8, 12-15, 11-15, 15-12, 8-15
W - at Wichita State* 8-15, 15-4, 15-10, 15-10
W - Winona State 15-2, 15-6, 14-16, 15-3
W - Eastern Illinois* 15-3, 15-8, 15-7
W - Southern Illinois* 15-9, 15-9, 15-6
W - at Western Illinois* 15-5, 15-10, 15-6
W - at Bradley* 15-13, 15-3, 15-4

Gateway Conference Tournament, Springfield, MO (1st)
W - vs. Illinois State 15-10, 15-10, 15-12
W - vs. Wichita State 15-11, 5-15, 15-4, 15-8

NCAA Tournament
L - at Long Beach State 7-15, 3-15, 6-15

1992 (17-9, 11-5 MVC--tie 3rd)
Coach: Iradge Ahrabi-Fard

Syracuse Invitational (T2nd)
L - vs. Virginia 15-9, 15-11, 6-15, 6-15, 10-15
L - vs. Michigan 15-7, 15-17, 12-15, 4-15
W - at Syracuse 15-5, 15-7, 15-2

All-Iowa Classic, Cedar Falls (2nd)
W - at Iowa 15-12, 15-3, 16-14
L - vs. Iowa State 9-15, 8-15, 15-13, 15-13, 13-15

W - at Southern Illinois* 15-7, 15-9, 15-4
L - at Indiana State* 13-15, 12-15, 4-15
W - Wichita State* 15-9, 15-4, 12-15, 15-5
W - at Tulsa* 15-3, 15-6, 15-7
L - at Southwest Missouri* 6-15, 8-15, 3-15
W - Bradley* 15-5, 15-13, 15-8
L - Illinois State* 14-16, 13-15, 10-15
W - at Drake* 15-9, 15-2, 9-15, 15-7
W - Indiana State* 15-4, 15-9, 15-12
W - Southern Illinois* 15-5, 8-15, 15-3, 15-8
W - Loyola (IL) 15-8, 15-9, 15-13
W - at Kansas State 14-16, 15-9, 15-12, 15-11
L - at Wichita State* 15-12, 11-15, 12-15, 15-11, 8-15
W - Southwest Missouri* 15-12, 15-11, 15-11
W - Tulsa* 15-2, 15-6, 15-0
W - Iowa State 6-15, 15-5, 15-9, 12-15, 22-20
L - at Illinois State* 4-15, 15-5, 12-15, 7-15
W - at Bradley* 15-9, 15-11, 15-12
W - Drake* 15-6, 15-1, 15-1
W - Wisconsin-Milwaukee 15-0, 15-8, 15-6

Missouri Valley Conference Tournament, Normal, IL (T3rd)
L - vs. Southwest Missouri 16-18, 9-15, 7-15

1993 (24-6, 13-3 MVC--3rd)
Coach: Iradge Ahrabi-Fard

San Diego Invitational (2nd)
W - vs. Eastern Illinois 15-9, 15-12, 15-5
W - vs. Texas-San Antonio 15-11, 15-6, 15-13
W - vs. Weber State 13-15, 15-10, 15-8, 15-9
L - at San Diego 10-15, 10-15, 13-15

W - Winona State 15-8, 15-1, 15-4

W - at Bradley* 15-2, 15-5, 15-12
L - at Illinois State* 11-15, 12-15, 8-15
W - Wichita State* 15-13, 11-15, 15-6, 15-12
W - Iowa State 15-2, 15-8, 12-15, 15-8
L - at Southern Illinois* 7-15, 13-15, 8-15
W - at Indiana State* 16-14, 15-5, 13-15, 12-15, 15-7
W - Southwest Missouri* 15-8, 15-10, 15-11
W - Tulsa* 15-4, 15-1, 15-6
W - Drake* 15-7, 15-6, 15-7
W - at Iowa State 15-9, 15-13, 15-4
W - at Wichita State* 15-5, 16-14, 15-6
W - Indiana State* 15-3, 15-12, 15-2
W - Southern Illinois* 15-7, 15-6, 15-6
W - at Tulsa* 15-4, 15-4, 15-3
L - at Southwest Missouri* 8-15, 17-15, 14-16, 11-15
W - at Drake* 17-15, 15-11, 15-13
W - Illinois State* 15-10, 15-11, 12-15, 13-15, 16-14
W - Bradley* 15-8, 15-7, 15-11

Missouri Valley Conference Tournament (2nd), Springfield, MO
W - vs. Illinois State 15-7, 11-15, 16-14, 15-12
L - at Southwest Missouri 14-16, 6-15, 13-15

National Invitational Volleyball Championship (T3rd), Kansas City, MO
W - vs. Lehigh 15-7, 15-12, 15-3
W - vs. Wright State 16-14, 15-12, 15-5
W - vs. Arkansas State 12-15, 15-2, 15-10, 15-8
W - vs. Sacramento State 15-5, 6-15, 10-15, 15-7, 15-6
L - vs. Baylor 7-15, 15-13, 15-12, 9-15, 8-15

1994 (28-2, 19-1 MVC--1st)
Coach: Iradge Ahrabi-Fard

Washington State Cougar Challenge (1st)
W - vs. Gonzaga 8-15, 15-6, 15-10, 15-9
W - vs. Nevada 9-15, 15-3, 15-7, 15-11
W - vs. Temple 15-4, 15-6, 15-3
W - at Washington State 15-12, 7-15, 4-15, 15-8

W - Southern Illinois* 15-8, 15-5, 15-11
W - Evansville* 15-6, 15-11, 15-7
W - at Indiana State* 13-15, 15-10, 15-6, 15-4
W - at Bradley* 15-9, 15-8, 15-8
L - at Illinois State* 15-7, 10-15, 14-16, 13-15
W - Wichita State* 15-2, 15-6, 15-5
W - Creighton* 15-4, 15-5, 15-3
W - at Iowa 8-15, 15-11, 15-10, 15-11
W - at Drake* 15-4, 15-6, 15-8
W - Iowa State 15-3, 15-6, 13-15, 13-15, 15-12
W - at Tulsa* 15-5, 15-3, 15-7
W - at Southwest Missouri* 15-17, 15-10, 15-8, 15-10
W - Illinois State* 15-7, 15-10, 15-5
W - Indiana State* 15-10, 11-15, 15-6, 15-1
W - Bradley* 15-4, 15-13, 15-10
W - at Wichita State* 15-5, 15-4, 15-3
W - at Creighton* 15-1, 15-1, 15-2
W - Drake* 15-0, 17-15, 15-10
W - Tulsa* 15-4, 15-8, 15-0
W - Southwest Missouri* 15-10, 15-6, 15-11
W - at Southern Illinois* 15-7, 15-9, 15-11
W - at Evansville* 15-6, 15-1, 15-5

Missouri Valley Conference Tournament, Cedar Falls, IA (1st)
W - Bradley 15-13, 15-9, 15-8
W - Drake 15-11, 15-8, 15-5

NCAA Tournament
W - Rider 15-0, 15-2, 15-3
L - at Colorado 16-14, 13-15, 9-15, 12-15



The 1994 team went 28-2 and won UNI's first NCAA Tournament match ever

Year-by-Year Scores

1995 (29-2, 20-0 MVC--1st) Coach: Irdage Ahrabi-Fard

New Mexico Invitational (T1st)

W - vs. Kansas 15-13, 15-8, 15-1
W - at New Mexico 15-13, 10-15, 15-12, 16-14
L - vs. Loyola Marymount 10-15, 7-15, 5-15

W - Southwest Missouri* 15-5, 17-19, 15-5, 16-14

W - Tulsa* 15-2, 15-2, 15-4
W - at Iowa State 15-12, 15-9, 15-3
W - Drake* 15-12, 13-15, 15-8, 15-12
W - Western Illinois 15-2, 15-7, 15-5
W - at Illinois State* 15-13, 15-10, 15-7
W - at Bradley* 15-4, 15-10, 15-8
W - Southern Illinois* 15-10, 15-9, 15-6
W - Indiana State* 15-2, 15-8, 15-1
W - Evansville* 15-2, 15-11, 15-3
W - at Creighton* 15-2, 15-4, 15-1
W - at Wichita State* 15-10, 15-12, 15-4
W - at Drake* 7-15, 9-15, 15-11, 15-10, 17-15
W - Northern Illinois 15-11, 15-1, 15-5
W - Bradley* 15-8, 15-7, 15-11
W - Illinois State* 15-7, 15-3, 15-3
W - at Southern Illinois* 15-8, 15-2, 15-4
W - at Evansville* 15-5, 15-13, 15-2
W - at Indiana State* 15-7, 15-6, 15-13
W - Creighton* 15-1, 15-4, 15-5
W - Wichita State* 15-4, 15-8, 15-3
W - at Southwest Missouri* 15-5, 15-7, 15-8
W - at Tulsa* 15-10, 15-2, 15-12

Missouri Valley Conference Tournament, Normal, IL (1st)

W - vs. Southern Illinois 15-5, 15-6, 15-5
W - vs. Drake 10-15, 16-14, 15-10, 15-10

NCAA Play-In

W - Valparaiso 15-2, 15-5, 15-13

NCAA Tournament

W - Colorado 15-7, 15-12, 21-19
L - at Stanford 12-15, 8-15, 3-15

1996 (20-8, 14-4 MVC--3rd)

Coach: Irdage Ahrabi-Fard

Sun Devil Challenge, Tempe, AZ

L - vs. Northern Arizona 15-5, 15-4, 6-15, 13-15, 11-15
L - at Arizona State 14-16, 10-15, 9-15
W - vs. Wright State 15-3, 9-15, 15-1, 15-11
L - vs. Arizona 4-15, 13-15, 6-15

Arkansas State Classic, Jonesboro, AR

W - vs. Morehead State 15-8, 15-13, 15-11
W - at Arkansas State 9-15, 16-14, 15-11, 15-8
W - vs. Missouri-Kansas City 15-1, 15-1, 15-4

W - Southern Illinois* 15-12, 15-7, 15-11

W - Evansville* 15-1, 15-5, 15-6
W - Bradley* 15-6, 15-2, 15-11
W - at Western Illinois 15-3, 15-6, 15-6
W - at Wichita State* 15-4, 15-2, 15-11
L - at Southwest Missouri* 7-15, 15-17, 15-3, 11-15
W - Indiana State* 15-12, 15-11, 15-10
L - Illinois State* 10-15, 11-15, 15-3, 3-15
L - at Drake* 15-6, 5-15, 12-15, 14-16
W - at Creighton* 10-15, 9-15, 15-8, 15-4, 15-7
W - at Bradley* 15-6, 15-9, 15-11
W - Southwest Missouri* 15-5, 9-15, 15-13, 15-0
W - Wichita State* 15-10, 15-0, 15-7
L - at Illinois State* 6-15, 7-15, 6-15
W - at Indiana State* 15-10, 15-9, 15-6
W - Creighton* 15-3, 15-8, 15-8

W - Drake* 14-16, 15-12, 15-6, 15-9
W - at Evansville* 15-2, 15-6, 17-15
W - at Southern Illinois* 15-5, 15-12, 16-14

Missouri Valley Conference Tournament, Springfield, MO (T3rd)

W - vs. Bradley 15-5, 15-11, 15-7
L - vs. Drake 11-15, 15-5, 10-15, 12-15

1997 (18-9, 13-5 MVC--2nd)

Coach: Bobbi Petersen (Interim)

Colorado State Invitational

L - vs. California 9-15, 6-15, 8-15
W - vs. Central Michigan 15-8, 15-12, 15-12
L - at Colorado State 9-15, 5-15, 10-15

Loyola (IL) Invitational

L - vs. Southeast Missouri State 10-15, 15-5, 13-15, 9-15
W - vs. Cincinnati 15-9, 15-6, 5-15, 15-9
W - at Loyola (IL) 15-12, 15-13, 14-16, 15-9

W - at Southern Illinois* 15-9, 15-3, 13-15, 15-9
W - at Evansville* 12-15, 15-13, 12-15, 15-11, 15-9

W - Drake* 15-6, 12-15, 15-10, 15-1
W - Creighton* 15-5, 16-14, 15-7
W - Bradley* 15-8, 10-15, 15-8, 16-14
W - Western Illinois 15-5, 15-10, 15-6
L - at Indiana State* 11-15, 13-15, 15-11, 15-7, 11-15
L - at Illinois State* 12-15, 13-15, 15-6, 11-15
W - Wichita State* 15-2, 15-11, 15-11
W - Southwest Missouri State* 12-15, 15-12, 16-14, 15-9
W - at Creighton* 15-6, 15-12, 14-16, 11-15, 15-7

W - at Drake* 16-14, 16-14, 9-15, 9-15, 15-12
L - at Bradley* 15-13, 9-15, 15-7, 13-15, 12-15
L - Illinois State* 10-15, 15-10, 12-15, 4-15
W - Indiana State* 16-14, 15-8, 13-15, 15-13
L - at Southwest Missouri State* 6-15, 11-15, 12-15
W - at Wichita State* 9-15, 15-13, 15-10, 15-11
W - Evansville* 15-7, 17-15, 15-12
W - Southern Illinois* 15-11, 16-14, 14-16, 13-15, 15-11

Missouri Valley Conference Tournament, Normal, IL (2nd)

W - vs. Creighton 15-13, 15-10, 11-15, 15-10
L - at Illinois State 3-15, 11-15, 15-17

1998 (25-3, 18-0 MVC--1st)

Coach: Irdage Ahrabi-Fard

Florida State Invitational, Tallahassee, FL

W - vs. Florida International 15-9, 15-10, 15-9
W - vs. Southeastern Louisiana 15-9, 15-5, 15-5
L - at Florida St. 11-15, 5-15, 15-8, 15-12, 12-15

Northern Illinois Invitational, DeKalb, IL

L - at Northern Illinois 15-8, 9-15, 13-15, 10-15
W - vs. Northeast Louisiana 15-4, 15-1, 15-5
W - vs. Austin Peay 15-9, 15-4, 15-2

W - at Iowa State 15-3, 15-1, 15-4
W - at Southwest Missouri State* 15-9, 18-16, 7-15, 13-15, 17-15
W - at Wichita State* 15-11, 14-16, 15-7, 9-15, 15-13
W - at Bradley* 15-5, 15-2, 15-8
W - Creighton* 15-11, 15-5, 15-8
W - Drake* 15-1, 16-14, 15-5
W - at Evansville* 10-15, 15-13, 15-11, 15-6
W - at Southern Illinois* 15-5, 15-6, 15-7
W - Illinois State* 15-8, 15-6, 15-3



UNI has had a 20-match winning streak or more in three straight years, starting with this 1998 squad that won 23 in a row.

W - Indiana State* 15-11, 15-7, 15-6
W - Southwest Missouri* 15-8, 15-7, 15-9
W - Wichita State* 15-5, 15-10, 15-13
W - at Creighton* 15-8, 15-8, 15-5
W - at Drake* 15-9, 15-4, 15-8
W - Evansville* 15-7, 15-7, 15-8
W - So. Illinois* 11-15, 15-4, 15-6, 7-15, 15-6
W - at Indiana State* 15-11, 11-15, 15-9, 15-11
W - at Illinois State* 15-11, 15-8, 9-15, 12-15, 15-12
W - Bradley* 15-2, 15-7, 15-5

Missouri Valley Conference Tournament, Wichita, KS (1st)

W - vs. Drake 15-5, 15-4, 12-15, 15-11
W - vs. Illinois State 15-5, 15-8, 15-12

NCAA Tournament, Fayetteville, AR

L - vs. Indiana 15-17, 7-15, 5-15

1999 (30-1, 18-0 MVC--1st)

Coach: Irdage Ahrabi-Fard

W - at Utah 16-14, 17-15, 15-10

Oregon State Showcase, Corvallis, OR (1st)
W - vs. Missouri 16-14, 13-15, 15-5, 15-7
W - vs. TCU 15-9, 16-14, 15-0
W - at Oregon State 15-8, 11-15, 15-6, 10-15, 15-6
W - vs. Portland State 15-12, 15-6, 15-1

W - at Illinois State* 15-8, 15-9, 15-6
W - at Indiana State* 15-8, 16-14, 15-10
W - Iowa State 15-2, 15-3, 15-5
W - vs. Minnesota (Rochester, MN) 15-17, 15-11, 15-9, 12-15, 15-11
W - Creighton* 15-3, 15-5, 15-12
W - Drake* 15-10, 15-10, 15-9
W - at Wichita State* 15-12, 9-15, 15-5, 16-14
W - at Southwest Missouri* 15-13, 15-9, 15-6
W - Southern Illinois* 15-13, 15-8, 15-4
W - Evansville* 15-5, 15-5, 15-8
W - at Western Illinois 15-4, 15-7, 15-6
W - Bradley* 15-8, 15-7, 15-6
W - at Drake* 15-4, 15-8, 15-2
W - at Creighton* 15-8, 15-7, 15-6
W - SW Missouri St. * 15-6, 15-4, 13-15, 18-16
W - Wichita State* 15-6, 15-10, 14-16, 15-12
W - at Evansville* 15-3, 15-7, 15-4
W - at Southern Illinois* 15-4, 15-8, 15-0
W - at Bradley* 15-7, 15-6, 15-5
W - Indiana State* 15-11, 15-11, 15-11
W - Illinois State* 15-6, 15-11, 15-10

Missouri Valley Conference Tournament, Cedar Falls (1st)

W - Southwest Missouri 15-6, 15-9, 17-15
W - Illinois State 14-16, 15-7, 15-9, 15-6

NCAA Tournament, Clemson, SC

W - vs. Ball State 12-15, 15-9, 10-15, 15-2, 15-12
W - vs. Indiana 17-15, 10-15, 15-10, 16-14

NCAA Regional, Stockton, CA

L - at Pacific 2-15, 4-15, 7-15

2000 (29-5, 18-0 MVC--1st)

Coach: Irdage Ahrabi-Fard

Pepperdine Invitational, Malibu, CA (2nd)

L - at #8 Pepperdine 11-15, 17-19, 11-15
W - vs. Wright State 15-3, 15-9, 15-10
W - vs. Middle Tennessee St. 15-12, 15-3, 15-6

vs. #15 Wisconsin (in Dubuque) L 14-16, 7-15, 15-8, 10-15

Fresno State Invitational, Fresno, CA (2nd)

W - vs. Cal St.-Fullerton 15-5, 15-1, 15-13
W - at Fresno State 15-11, 6-15, 15-5, 15-4
L - vs. Washington State 10-15, 14-16, 11-15
W - vs. UC-Riverside 15-11, 15-7, 15-1

L - vs. #9 Minnesota (in Rochester) 10-15, 9-15, 6-15

W - Indiana State* 15-8, 15-8, 9-15, 15-6
W - Illinois State* 15-11, 15-3, 15-8
W - Western Illinois 15-5, 15-6, 15-8
W - at SW Missouri St. * W 15-9, 15-5, 11-15, 15-8
W - at Wichita State* 15-10, 15-7, 15-3
W - at Iowa 15-9, 15-3, 12-15, 15-5
W - Drake* 15-4, 15-5, 15-4
W - Creighton* 15-12, 15-1, 16-14
W - at Bradley* 15-13, 17-15, 15-4
W - at Iowa State 15-6, 15-6, 15-7
W - at Southern Illinois* 15-8, 15-7, 15-5
W - at Evansville* 15-10, 15-7, 15-8
W - Wichita State* 15-11, 15-2, 15-5
W - SW Missouri State* 15-1, 15-3, 15-6
W - at Creighton* 15-12, 12-15, 15-7, 16-14
W - at Drake* 14-16, 15-6, 18-16, 15-4
W - Bradley* 15-7, 15-10, 15-13
W - Evansville* 15-3, 15-7, 15-6
W - Southern Illinois* 16-14, 15-6, 15-5
W - at Illinois State* 15-6, 15-5, 15-7
W - at Indiana State* 15-8, 15-6, 15-11

Missouri Valley Conference Tournament, Terre Haute, IN (1st)

W - vs. Evansville 15-10, 15-10, 15-9
W - vs. Illinois State 15-2, 15-5, 15-10

NCAA Tournament, Madison, WI

W - vs. Western Michigan 16-14, 8-15, 15-7, 15-8
L - at #4 Wisconsin 13-15, 16-14, 5-15, 6-15

Series Records

<u>Team</u>	<u>W-L</u>	<u>Last</u>
Akron	1-0	1990
Arizona	0-1	1996
Arizona State	0-1-1	1996
Arkansas State	2-1	1996
Auburn	1-0	1988
Augsburg	0-0-1	1978
Augustana (SD)	4-0	1983
Austin Peay	1-0	1998
Baker	1-0	1976
Ball State	1-2	1999
Bemidji State	3-0	1983
Bethel	3-0	1980
Boise State	1-1	1991
Bowling Green	0-1	1989
Bradley	32-6	2000
Briar Cliff	0-0-1	1977
Brigham Young	0-1	1991
Butler	2-0	1987
California	0-1	1997
Cal-Irvine	1-0	1990
Cal-Riverside	1-0	2000
Cal State-Fullerton	1-0	2000
Central	2-0	1986
Central Michigan	3-0	1997
Central Missouri State	2-6	1982
Cincinnati	1-0	1997
Clarke	1-0	1980
Cleveland State	3-0	1987
Coe	4-0	1977
Colorado	2-1	1995
Colorado State	0-1	1997
Cornell	1-0	1975
Creighton	15-0	2000
Dayton	1-0	1991
DePaul	4-1	1990
Doane	1-0	1980
Dordt	1-1	1978
Drake	46-12-2	2000
Dubuque	1-0	1975
Duke	2-0	1989
Eastern Illinois	9-5	1993
Eastern Michigan	1-1	1985
Emporia State	1-2	1981
Evansville	15-0	2000
Farleigh-Dickinson	1-0	1989
Florida International	3-0	1998
Florida State	0-1	1998
Fresno State	1-0	2000
George Washington	3-0	1989
Georgetown	0-1	1989
Georgia	0-1	1990
Gonzaga	2-0	1994
Graceland	1-0	1977
Grand View	3-0	1981
Gustavus-Adolphus	1-0	1980
Houston	1-0	1986
Idaho State	1-1	1991
Illinois	0-2-1	1986
Illinois at Chicago	9-2	1990

<u>Team</u>	<u>W-L</u>	<u>Last</u>
Illinois State	21-15	2000
Indiana	1-1	1999
Indiana State	27-3	2000
Iowa	22-21	2000
Iowa State	26-18	2000
Kansas	7-2-1	1995
Kansas State	3-2-1	1992
Kearney State	1-0	1979
Lamar	0-1	1986
Lewis	1-2-1	1983
Long Beach State	0-1	1991
Loras	17-3	1987
Louisiana State	0-1	1991
Louisville	2-0	1989
Loyola (IL)	5-0	1997
Loyola Marymount	0-2	1995
Luther	5-0	1979
McPherson	1-0	1982
Mankato State	4-1	1985
Marquette	1-1	1980
Marycrest	3-0	1981
Memphis State	1-2	1990
Miami (OH)	0-1	1981
Michigan	0-1	1992
Mid-America Nazarene	2-0	1977
Middle Tennessee State	1-0	2000
Minnesota	3-12	2000
Minnesota-Duluth	5-4-1	1982
Missouri	9-4-2	1999
Missouri-Kansas City	5-1-1	1996
Missouri-St. Louis	1-1	1982
Missouri Southern	2-0	1981
Missouri Western	1-1	1980
Morehead State	1-0	1996
Morningside	2-0	1982
Montana State	1-0	1990
Murray State	1-0	1989
Nebraska	0-2-1	1987
Nebraska-Omaha	2-4	1983
Nevada	1-0	1994
New Mexico	1-0	1995
Nicholls State	1-0	1988
North Dakota	5-1	1983
North Dakota State	3-1	1982
Northeast Louisiana	1-0	1998
Northeast Missouri State	3-0	1983
Northeastern Illinois	0-1	1976
Northern Arizona	2-1	1996
Northern Illinois	3-3	1998
Northern Michigan	1-0	1979
Northwestern College	2-0	1980
Northwestern University	1-3	1991
Northwest Missouri State	9-0	1986
Oral Roberts	1-0	1982
Oregon State	1-0	1999
Pacific	0-1	1999
Pepperdine	0-1	2000
Pittsburg State	2-0	1982
Portland State	1-0	1999

<u>Team</u>	<u>W-L</u>	<u>Last</u>
Rice	2-0	1986
Rider	1-0	1994
St. Ambrose	13-0	1990
St. Benedict	1-0	1979
St. Cloud State	8-2-1	1983
St. Olaf	1-0	1979
Saint Louis	2-0	1990
San Diego	1-1	1993
South Dakota	9-0	1983
South Dakota State	2-0	1981
Southeast Louisiana	3-0	1998
Southeast Missouri State	1-1	1997
Southern Illinois	25-7	2000
Southwest Missouri St.	23-13	2000
Stanford	0-1	1995
Syracuse	1-0	1992
Temple	1-0	1994
Texas Christian	1-0	1999
Tulane	1-0	1988
Tulsa	9-0	1995
U.S. International	1-0	1990
Upper Iowa	4-0	1976
Utah	2-0	1999
Valparaiso	6-0	1995
Virginia	0-1	1992
Virginia Commonwealth	1-0	1987
Wartburg	5-0	1979
Washington State	3-1	2000
Wayne State (NE)	2-0	1980
Western Illinois	17-7-1	2000
Western Michigan	1-1	2000
Wichita State	29-1-1	2000
William & Mary	0-1	1989
William Penn	5-0-2	1981
William Woods	0-1	1980
Winona State	12-0	1993
Wisconsin	0-8	2000
Wisconsin-Eau Claire	1-1	1980
Wisconsin-Green Bay	1-0	1988
Wisconsin-La Crosse	1-4-2	1980
Wisconsin-Milwaukee	3-2	1992
Wisconsin-Stevens Point	1-0	1979
Wright State	3-0	2000
Xavier	1-0	1986
Total	636-233-22 (.726)	26 years



Opponents Information

MCNEESE STATE COWGIRLS

Location: Lake Charles, Louisiana
 Enrollment: 8,700
 Facility: Memorial Gym
 Conference: Southland
 Head Coach: Lee McBride
 Career/School Record: 202-141 (12)/Same
 2000 Overall Record: 15-15
 2000 Conference Record/Finish: 11-9/6th
 Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 5/5
 Volleyball SID: Pam LaFosse
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 Series History: First Meeting

UTEP MINERS

Location: El Paso, Texas
 Enrollment: 15,224
 Facility: Memorial Gym (3,000)
 Conference: Western Athletic
 Head Coach: Revis Ward-Daggett
 Career/School Record: 125-125 (8)/21-39 (2)
 2000 Overall Record: 16-15
 2000 WAC Record/Finish: 7-9/4th
 Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 6/3
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 Series History: First Meeting

NEW MEXICO LOBOS

Location: Albuquerque, New Mexico
 Enrollment: 24,250
 Facility: Johnson Arena (5,000)
 Conference: Mountain West
 Head Coach: Tom Peterson
 Career/School Record: 243-109 (11)/First Year
 2000 Overall Record: 10-17
 2000 Conference Record/Finish: 5-9/Tie-5th
 Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 5/6
 Volleyball SID: Andrea Tafoya
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 Series History: UNI leads 1-0

SAINT LOUIS BILLIKENS

Location: St. Louis, Missouri
 Enrollment: 11,112
 Facility: Bauman-Eberhardt Center (2,220)
 Conference: Conference USA
 Head Coach: Marilyn Nolen
 Career/School Record: 766-312-13 (29)/147-94 (7)
 2000 Overall Record: 13-18
 2000 Conference Record/Finish: 6-10/8th
 Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 10/1
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 Series History: UNI leads 2-0

BALL STATE CARDINALS

Location: Muncie, Indiana
 Enrollment: 17,459
 Facility: University Arena (11,500)
 Conference: Mid-American Conference
 Head Coach: Randy Litchfield
 Career/School Record: 256-108 (12)/Same
 2000 Overall Record: 25-7
 2000 Conference Record/Finish: 16-2/2nd
 Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 10/3
 Volleyball SID: Chris Taylor
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 Series History: Ball State leads 2-1

WISCONSIN BADGERS

Location: Madison, Wisconsin
 Enrollment: 41,080
 Facility: Wisconsin Field House (10,800)
 Conference: Big Ten
 Head Coach: Pete Waite
 Career/School Record: 331-116 (13)/55-14 (2)
 2000 Overall Record: 33-5
 2000 Conference Record/Finish: 18-2/2nd
 Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 11/4
 Volleyball SID: Diane Nordstrom
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 Series History: Wisconsin leads 8-0

MINNESOTA GOLDEN GOPHERS

Location: Minneapolis, Minnesota
 Enrollment: 45,361
 Facility: Sports Pavilion (5,700)
 Conference: Big Ten
 Head Coach: Mike Hebert
 Career/School Record: 693-305 (25)/121-48 (5)
 2000 Overall Record: 30-4
 2000 Conference Record/Finish: 17-3/2nd
 Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 8-6
 Volleyball SID: Bruce Wolfe
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 Series History: Minnesota leads 12-3

SOUTHERN ILLINOIS SALUKIS

Location: Carbondale, Illinois
 Enrollment: 22,552
 Facility: Davies Gym (1,250)
 Conference: Missouri Valley
 Head Coach: Sonya Locke

Career/School Record: 173-164 (11)/138-159 (10)
 2000 Overall Record: 8-22
 2000 Conference Record/Finish: 1-17/10th
 Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 10/3
 Volleyball SID: Lou Antoine
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 Series History: UNI leads 25-7

EVANSVILLE PURPLE ACES

Location: Evansville, Indiana
 Enrollment: 2,475
 Facility: Carson Center (500)
 Conference: Missouri Valley
 Head Coach: Mark Hardaway
 Career/School Record: 156-177 (10)/82-112 (6)
 2000 Overall Record: 19-15
 2000 Conference Record/Finish: 10-8/Tie-4th
 Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 7/3
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 Web Address: www.gopurpleaces.com
 Series History: UNI leads 15-0

WISCONSIN-MILWAUKEE PANTHERS

Location: Milwaukee, Wisconsin
 Enrollment: 22,964
 Facility: Klotsche Center (5,000)
 Conference: Horizon League
 Head Coach: Kathy Litzau
 Career/School Record: 143-102 (8)
 2000 Overall Record: 23-5/1st
 2000 Conference Record/Finish: 11-1/Tie-1st
 Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 12/0
 Volleyball SID: Kevin O'Connor
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 Series History: UNI leads 3-2

BRADLEY BRIVES

Location: Peoria, Illinois
 Enrollment: 5,951
 Facility: Robertson Memorial Field House (7,003)
 Conference: Missouri Valley
 Head Coach: Scott Luster
 Career/School Record: 492-288 (21)/44-37 (3)
 2000 Overall Record: 15-12
 2000 Conference Record/Finish: 8-10/6th
 Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 19/5
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 Series History: UNI leads 32-6

Opponent Information

IOWA HAWKEYES

Location:Iowa City, Iowa
Enrollment:28,311
Facility:Carver-Hawkeye Arena (15,500)
Conference:Big Ten
Head Coach:Rita Buck-Crockett
Career/School Record:26-58 (3)/Same
2000 Overall Record:13-15
2000 Conference Record/Finish:9-11/6th
Letterwinners Returning/Lost:8/4
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Series History:UNI leads 22-21

WICHITA STATE SHOCKERS

Location:Wichita, Kansas
Enrollment:14,810
Facility:Henry Levitt Arena (10,529)
Conference:Missouri Valley
Head Coach:Chris Lamb
Career/School Record:8-23 (1)/Same
2000 Overall Record:8-23
2000 Conference Record/Finish:2-16/9th
Letterwinners Returning/Lost:6/4
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Series History:UNI leads 29-1-1

SW MISSOURI STATE LADY BEARS

Location:Springfield, Missouri
Enrollment:19,371
Facility:Hammons Student Center (8,846)
Conference:Missouri Valley
Head Coach:Melissa Stokes
Career/School Record:98-64 (5)/Same
2000 Overall Record:27-7
2000 Conference Record/Finish:14-4/3rd
Letterwinners Returning/Lost:9/2
Volleyball SID:Jeff Williams
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Series History:UNI leads 23-13

ILLINOIS STATE REDBIRDS

Location:Normal, Illinois
Enrollment:20,504
Facility:Redbird Arena (10,200)
Conference:Missouri Valley
Head Coach:Sharon Dingman
Career/School Record:208-123 (10)/19-10 (1)
2000 Overall Record:19-10
2000 Conference Record/Finish:15-3/2nd
Letterwinners Returning/Lost:11/4
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Series History:UNI leads 21-15

INDIANA STATE SYCAMORES

Location:Terre Haute, Indiana
Enrollment:11,484
Facility:ISU Arena (2,000)
Conference:Missouri Valley
Head Coach:Jim Bertoli
Career/School Record:135-202 (10)/52-77 (4)
2000 Overall Record:14-17
2000 Conference Record/Finish:7-11/7th
Letterwinners Returning/Lost:7/5
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Series History:UNI leads 27-3

DRAKE BULLDOGS

Location:Des Moines, IA
Enrollment:3,500
Facility:Knapp Center (7,002)
Conference:Missouri Valley
Head Coach:Randy Dolson
Career/School Record:100-76 (5)/First Year
2000 Overall Record:7-23
2000 Conference Record/Finish:5-13/8th
Letterwinners Returning/Lost:8-5
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Series History:UNI leads 46-12-2

CREIGHTON BLUE JAYS

Location:Omaha, Nebraska
Enrollment:6,316
Facility:Omaha South High School (2,000)
Conference:Missouri Valley
Head Coach:Howard Wallace
Career/School Record:51-58 (4)/Same
2000 Overall Record:16-12
2000 Conference Record/Finish:10-8/Tie-4th
Letterwinners Returning/Lost:10/4
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Series History:UNI leads 15-0

NOTRE DAME FIGHTING IRISH

Location:Notre Dame, Indiana
Enrollment:10,301
Facility:Joyce Center (11,418)
Conference:Big East
Head Coach:Debbie Brown
Career/School Record:371-170 (16)/254-87 (10)

2000 Overall Record:26-7
2000 Conference Record/Finish:11-0/1st
Letterwinners Returning/Lost:6/4
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Series History:First Meeting

IOWA STATE

Location:Ames, Iowa
Enrollment:26,845
Facility:Hilton Coliseum (14,092)
Conference:Big 12
Head Coach:Linda Crum
Career/School Record:112-140 (8)/5-51 (2)
2000 Overall Record:2-27
2000 Conference Record/Finish:0-20/11th
Letterwinners Returning/Lost:8/4
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Series History:UNI leads 26-18

2001 MVC TOURNAMENT INFO

For the seventh straight season, the Missouri Valley Conference will conduct its post-season volleyball championship at a predetermined site. Featuring a six-team field, the 2001 State Farm/Missouri Valley Conference Tournament will be played at Redbird Arena on the campus of Illinois State University on Nov. 23-24.

As the host institution, Illinois State is guaranteed one of the six spots in the tournament field, with the winner of the Missouri Valley Conference Tournament receiving an automatic bid to the NCAA Tournament. Since the league began awarding the tournament on a bid basis in 1995, the host school has won the tournament just twice (Illinois State in 1997 and Northern Iowa in 1999).

With the 2001 Tournament immediately following the Thanksgiving holiday, first-round and semi-final matches will take place on Friday, Nov. 23. The top two seeds receive a first-round bye, but will play the winners of the 3 vs. 6 and 4 vs. 5 seed matches. The championship match is slated for Saturday, Nov. 24 and will be shown live on Fox Sports Net Midwest and Fox Sports Net Chicago.

Tickets for the 2001 State Farm/Missouri Valley Conference Tournament range from \$5 to \$15. For more ticket information, please contact the Illinois State athletic ticket office at (309) 438-8000 or the MVC office at (314) 421-0339.

Northern Iowa has won three consecutive MVC Tournament titles and the league championship five of the last seven years.

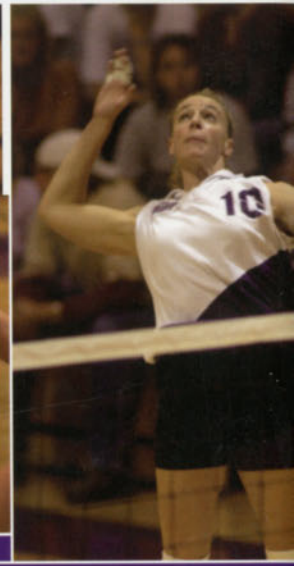


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